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End to Strike In Oil Is Near Officials Say

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—O. A. Knight, top strategy-maker of a score of unions involved in the nationwide oil strike, said tonight "we are calling off the strike," and Government officials foresaw a quick end to the 16-day walkout.

Union and Government officials said an actual end to the strike could come only through local agreements between union and management negotiators. Bargaining in the oil industries is on a local basis, involving some 22 different unions and hundreds of their locals.

These officials stressed that an actual end to the strike will come gradually, as such local agreements are reached.

Knight, who is president of the CIO Oil Workers union, voiced his statement in a film made by Tele-News Productions, incorporated, for television stations. He said that "with proper co-operation" there will be enough settlements by tonight to make a start at easing what he termed a pressing shortage of aviation gasoline.

About the same time, Cyrus S. Ching, director of the Federal Mediation Service, said: "I hope the oil crisis has been averted." He told reporters that Federal conciliation teams have set up 15 negotiating sessions around the country for tomorrow.

The 16-day strike of 90,000 oil workers was reported exerting a critical pinch on supplies of aviation fuel. Effects of the strike over wages reached all the way to Australia where airlines almost halved their customary flight schedules.

FEDERAL conciliators met or scheduled meetings with company (Continued on Page Seventeen)

Condition Set For Hearing On Teacher

The Douglass township, Berks county, school board will hold a hearing for Mrs. Mary H. Trethewey, First and Second grade teacher at the Colebrookdale school, only if it is provided with a detailed written statement of the charges against her.

This was revealed yesterday in a letter from Ralph C. Body, board solicitor, to Louis Sager, Pottstown attorney, who is representing the township residents demanding Mrs. Trethewey's dismissal.

Sager demanded a hearing for the teacher on a charge of "brutally" beating a child when he appeared before the board at a heated session the past May 6. He said he would have President Judge H. Robert Mays, of the Berks county court, appear for the hearing.

Body called Sager's attention to the provisions of the teacher tenure law which require the board of school directors to furnish any professional employee with permanent tenure with a detailed written statement of charges on which her proposed dismissal is based. It must also conduct a hearing on those charges.

In addition, it requires the teacher be given written notice signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the school board which must be sent by registered mail. The notice must set forth the time and place of the hearing on the charges.

"AFTER CAREFULLY reading the articles appearing in The Pottstown Mercury of May 7 and 8, 1952," Body wrote, "and conferring with the board, as well as a telephone conversation with you, it appears that you and your clients demand that the board have a hearing in this matter without filing any specific charges against the teacher."

"However, the school board is without legal authority to hold a hearing unless it follows the Acts (Continued on Page Seventeen)

THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Partly cloudy and cooler today, highest temperature 66 to 72 degrees. Tomorrow, mostly cloudy and cooler, with rain likely by the afternoon.

79 Mercury 57
High Antics Low
TEMPERATURE EXTREMES
Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	61	4 p. m.	79
5 a. m.	61	5 p. m.	79
6 a. m.	59	6 p. m.	79
7 a. m.	57	7 p. m.	77
8 a. m.	57	8 p. m.	75
9 a. m.	58	9 p. m.	72
10 a. m.	62	10 p. m.	67
11 a. m.	65	11 p. m.	65
12 m.	68	12 p. m.	63
1 p. m.	71	1 a. m.	61
2 p. m.	77	2 a. m.	61
3 p. m.	78	3 a. m.	60

So Proudly - - and Briefly - - It Flew



This is what's left of the Pottstown Bicentennial banner that was erected late Wednesday afternoon after local merchants spent \$350 for the banner, which was guaranteed to withstand very high winds. It was supposed to fly proudly at High and Hanover streets for the remaining six months of the borough's 200th birthday. By early afternoon, when wind velocity was, according to the Weather Bureau, 21 miles an hour, there was a ripping in the "W" of "Pottstown Bicentennial." By 2 o'clock, as the wind rose to 22 miles an hour, with gusts up to 27 miles an hour, virtually the entire banner tore loose. One end of the shredding banner was tied to the utility pole at the northwest corner, to protect motorists and pedestrians.

Stab Wound Was Accurate By a Fatal Fraction of Inch, Coroner's Physician Says

By FRED C. SELBY (Mercury Staff Writer)

Chance directed the blade of a paring knife to a vital point in the chest of Jerome Dob, Collegeville merchant seaman, more accurately than a specially-trained physician could have done while performing an autopsy.

Testimony to this effect highlighted the Montgomery county coroner's inquest yesterday morning into the death Saturday of the 23-year-old seaman.

The 6-member coroner's jury recommended that the seaman's 25-year-old brother, Joseph T. Dob, be held for grand jury action next week for stabbing the brother with the paring knife in the kitchen of their parents' West Conshohocken home.

The dead brother had been working temporarily for Spicer Manufacturing division's Pottstown plant while his wife was expectant.

The older brother contended that he grabbed the knife in self-defense during a fight with the younger, but taller and heavier brother.

IN MAKING its recommendation, the coroner's jury merely repeated the decision made by a magistrate after a hearing Tuesday night. The accused man posted \$5000 bail Wednesday.

The inquest, held in the county courthouse, also served to make public the medical evidence in the case.

Another highlight of the inquest (Continued on Page Thirty-three)

Jaycees Name Men For Clean-up Project

Committees for the Pottstown Junior Chamber of Commerce "clean-up, paint-up, fix-up" campaign the week of May 25 were announced last night by Harold D. Eschbach, chairman for the campaign.

Chairman of the "eyesore" committee is Earl Keiser who will be assisted by Richard Sager, Willard Sears, Joseph Kendall and Willard Bickel.

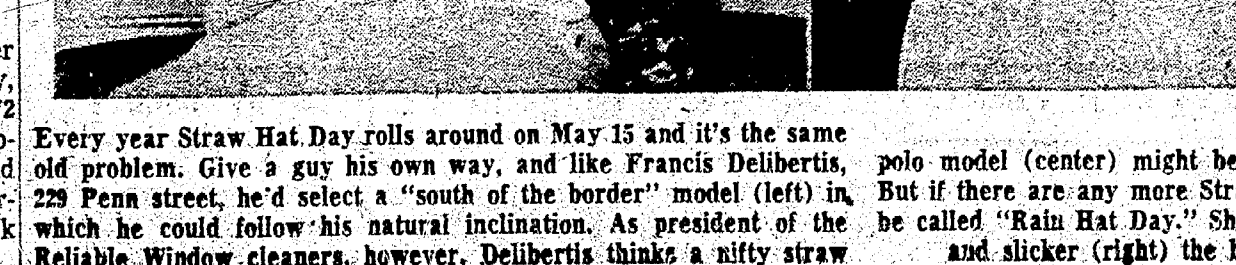
Richard Wisneski will be in charge of fire prevention. Eschbach will head the committee handling publicity and he will be assisted by Donald Davis and Harry Penrose.

Robert Yarger will act as committee chairman for safety.

THE HEALTH day committee will consist of Arthur Switzer and Ivan Bortnet Jr.

Eschbach reported the program will commence on Sunday, May 25, when, with the co-operation of the Ministerial association of Pottstown, church participation day will be held.

Straw Hat Day - - Bah!



Every year Straw Hat Day rolls around on May 15 and it's the same old problem. Give a guy his own way, and like Francis Delibertis, 223 Penn. street, he'd select a "south of the border" model (left) in which he could follow his natural inclination. As president of the Reliable Window cleaners, however, Delibertis thinks a nifty straw

Farm Workers Shut Apple-Slicing Plant

Postmastership Is Assured for J. A. Marquet

Topping a big day yesterday for J. Alfred Marquet, acting borough postmaster, was the announcement that he is virtually assured of appointment as permanent postmaster.

It also was Marquet's 37th birthday and the day that he was re-elected president of Montgomery County chapter, National Association of Postmasters, the largest chapter in the world.

On the postmastership, Raymond K. Mensch, Montgomery county minority commissioner, announced that Marquet's name is being sent to President Truman's office, for appointment.

Mensch's announcement followed a meeting Wednesday of the executive committee of Pottstown's Democratic organization, which recommended Marquet for the job.

THE LOCAL action is considered as equivalent to appointment, although the formalities will have to be followed of having his name sent by the President to the Senate, which will ratify the appointment.

Marquet was the only one of 11 candidates for the job to be de-

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J. ALFRED MARQUET

Seeds Bought By Children

The pennies and nickles of youngsters in the Primary department of the Roversford First Evangelical and Reformed church Sunday school have purchased 2 1/2 pounds of vegetable seeds to be sent to the Philippine Islands in the Committee for a Free Asia's Seeds for Democracy campaign.

The children's contribution was delivered by mail to The Mercury office yesterday. As one of hundreds of newspapers acting as collection agents for the committee, The Mercury will ship the seeds to the committee's San Francisco headquarters from where they will be forwarded to the islands.

Vegetable seeds are in short supply in the islands because it is difficult to develop the seeds in the Philippines' tropical climate and the price of imported seeds is beyond the means of the farmers who need them most.

Boyertown Man Hurt as Sedan Rolls Off Road

A Boyertown RD 1 man was injured seriously yesterday afternoon when his 11-year-old sedan rolled off Legislative Route 06053 into a woods near the Boyertown borough reservoir.

George Miller, 62, an employee at the Boyertown Body works, was traveling toward Earlville on Route 06053, between Gablesville and Earlville when he failed to negotiate a sharp curve to the left and rolled over into a field.

A Pottstown hospital spokesman said last night he was "resting comfortably." He suffered internal injuries, fractured ribs and shock. He was taken to the hospital by a passerby.

The accident occurred at 4:15 o'clock when Miller was on his way home from work.

The car rolled over several times before landing in a wooded field right-side-up.

Michael Terfenko, of the Reading State police, estimated damage to the 1941 sedan at \$250.

Truck Drivers' Layoff Touched off Walkout

The apple-slicing plant of the Funk Fruit Farm incorporated in Gablesville, one of the largest apple-producing farms in the Boyertown area, will be idle for the third day today as 31 employees of the plant continue their protest of the firing of the plant's two truck drivers.

The workers struck at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday morning after Harry Faust, of Boyertown RD 1, and Stanley Vovericz, of Norma's valley, were discharged by Foreman Alton E. Haas as they reported for work because Sheldon W. Funk, the farm's owner, said he no longer needed them.

Funk said last night that because of the rising cost of transporting apples from his farm to the Mrs. Smith's Pie company plant in Pottstown for use in pies he had arranged for the company to truck the apples to that plant as it does to its Philadelphia plant.

Funk added that "I don't know what they (the workers) want. Nobody's come to me and said anything. They can come back whenever they want. If they don't come back I'll just shut down the plant. I grew apples for years without a slicing plant and I can do it again."

Faust, a Funk employee three years, said last night that CIO union organizers from Philadelphia will appear at a meeting of the workers at 8 o'clock tonight in the Shanesville fire house to instruct them in forming a union local.

HE SAID, "we've had cards (presumably application cards) in with Frost (Samuel Frost, international representative of the Textile Workers Union of America) in Pottstown for two weeks."

Frost was unavailable last night for comment on the strike.

Tonight's meeting was arranged by Faust with CIO headquarters in Philadelphia soon after his discharge, he said.

The driver said workers picketing the farm's freezing plant were told by a Mrs. (Continued on Page Twenty-two)

Volunteers Hear Survey Methods For New Church

Progress in planning for the new church to be constructed by the Evangelical Reformed denomination was made last night when Dr. Ralph S. Weiler, eastern field secretary for the board of national missions of the denomination, instructed survey volunteers of St. Paul's Reformed church in methods for conducting their current survey.

The church will be constructed on the southwest corner of Mulberry and Franklin streets.

The group of 40 volunteers got instructions on methods of approaching persons, asking questions and filling out forms to be used in the survey.

Areas were assigned to the individual surveyors by chairman of the committee for relocation, Harry E. Keeler.

The survey will officially begin on Monday morning, May 26, and is expected to be completed by June 8.

Daylight and the early evening hours will be the time that the volunteers will make their calls at the homes of persons in the vicinity of the proposed church.

ON THE MAIN DRAG

HARRY HAUSEMAN —watching a close play at home plate.

JOAN BUCKWALTER —commenting on a career.

CAROLE MERRIN —discussing colleges.

BARBARA CARROLL —checking a billboard.

JEAN SHOCH —nonchalantly waving to a passerby.

NED BEHNEY —citing the advantages of his job.

DOROTHY KURTZ —enjoying her work after being ill a few days.

MRS. MARY KULP —heading for a shower for a niece.

MRS. GERALD LEIGHTON —grappling with her wash in a strong breeze.

CHRISTINE BEAGLE —leisurely strolling along with her dog.

Not Fancy But It Makes a Good Meal



—Mercury Staff Photos

It was a bit smeary, but it's a profitable way to learn geography. Bertram P. Scanlin, (above), Senior High school geography teacher, samples spaghetti prepared by one of his classes. Helping teacher take a first taste are Mary Welsh (left) and Shirley Kurtz (right). Twenty-four pupils of the class slipped down spaghetti in the home economics room at the high school yesterday noon. The meal was part of a project of a commercial geography course. A table of six girls (right photo) try spaghetti with Scanlin at left end of table and Principal Stanley I. Davenport Jr., right end of table.

Pottstown Senior High Pupils Learn Geography With Meal

They learned geography the comfortable way in the home economics room of the Pottstown Senior High school yesterday.

A class of 24 commercial geography pupils under the supervision of Bertram P. Scanlin got the taste of Italy at a noon spaghetti dinner.

Although the surroundings were American, the food was strictly Italian and the conversation was restricted to features, commercial and cultural, of the boot-shaped Mediterranean nation.

The dinner was under the supervision of Carolyn M. Longacre, home economics teacher at the high school.

SCANLIN EXPLAINED the project was a part of the commercial geography course in which pupils recently have completed a month's study of Italy.

The course deals principally with the commercial geography of the United States and selected European countries.

In the case of Italy, pupils checked the exports and imports between Italy and the United States. During the course this year Scanlin has named three committees to work on each country.

The first committee introduces the country. The second committee prepares exhibits of material, and the third committee discusses the cultural aspects of the country.

The class has completed a discussion of Italian poets, artists and places of interest.

In connection with their work the exhibit committee assigned to

AF TO GET REQUEST

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—The Air Force will be asked by two northeastern Pennsylvania Congressmen to consider establishing a 73½ million dollar depot at Avoca airport between Scranton and Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

The word "mind" was originally a verb, not a noun.

Dulles Levels Attack On Post-War Policy

PITTSBURGH, May 16 (AP)—John Foster Dulles, who recently resigned as a Republican adviser to Secretary of State Acheson, says U.S. foreign policy since World War II has been "dangerously inadequate" and too costly.

Speaking at a forum of the Pittsburgh Foreign Policy association last night, Dulles said:

"The country's principal policy since the war has been a sporadic reaction to Soviet action." He added:

"At a time when 800 million people—one third of all the people there—are subject to ruthless, terroristic despotism and being

whipped, by fanatics, into a force for aggression, we talk of containment and stalemate as satisfactory goals."

ETHIOPIANS HOME

ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia, May 15 (AP)—Seventy-three Ethiopian soldiers who were wounded in Korea arrived today after disembarking from the Danish hospital ship, Jutlandia, at Djibouti.

Religious Training Is Called Vital

MILWAUKEE, May 15 (AP)—Religious training "is inseparable from a good education," a Catholic lay leader declared today.

Joseph A. Craven, attorney for the Catholic Archdiocese of Denver, Colo., made the statement at the opening session of the 10th annual convention of Serra International, a Catholic men's service club devoted to encouraging young men to enter the priesthood.

"The non-public schools, operated by Catholics and others, are not divisive," Craven said in a rebuttal of a recent statement by James B. Conant, president of Harvard university.

Bishop John F. Dearden of Pittsburgh, told the delegates that parental objections to young people entering the religious life is a problem that laymen can help eliminate. Laymen must "foster a greater sense of reverence for the priesthood throughout our society," he added.

Harvard Boys Prove They Can Riot, Too

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 15 (AP)—Not to be outdone by Yale and with a touch of Spring fever running through their veins, an estimated 1000 Harvard students rioted tonight.

Before the wild demonstration ended, 28 students were arrested and three policemen were injured.

All 28 were charged with disturbing the peace and released on bail of \$25 each.

Police said the melee began when students gathered to launch a nation-wide "campaign" to put a comic strip character in the White House.

Newspaper Executives To Meet on Business

NEW YORK, May 15 (AP)—Twenty-seven newspaper executives from 17 states will meet next week to talk about the business side of newspapers, it was announced tonight.

They will work Monday through Friday at a management and costs seminar to be conducted by the American Press Institute at Columbia university.

They will discuss methods of improving the business structure of publishing and take up ideas for controlling costs, boosting revenues, and making production more efficient.

The 27 were selected from the largest number of nominations ever received by the institute for any seminar.

Phone Hearings End Their First Round

HARRISBURG, May 16 (AP)—The first round of hearings into a \$31,706,606 year rate increase sought by the Bell Telephone company, of Pennsylvania, was over today after a stormy argument.

The hearings were scheduled to extend through today but Jay Eisenman, Public Utility commission hearing examiner, called an unexpected recess late yesterday after a verbal battle between opposing counsel.

Eisenman fixed June 18-20 for the next round of hearings.

COURT FIGHT PLEDGED

HARRISBURG, May 15 (AP)—The State Highways department said today it will "fight to the limit" any court suit aimed at reducing toll charges at any of the ten State-owned bridges in Pennsylvania.

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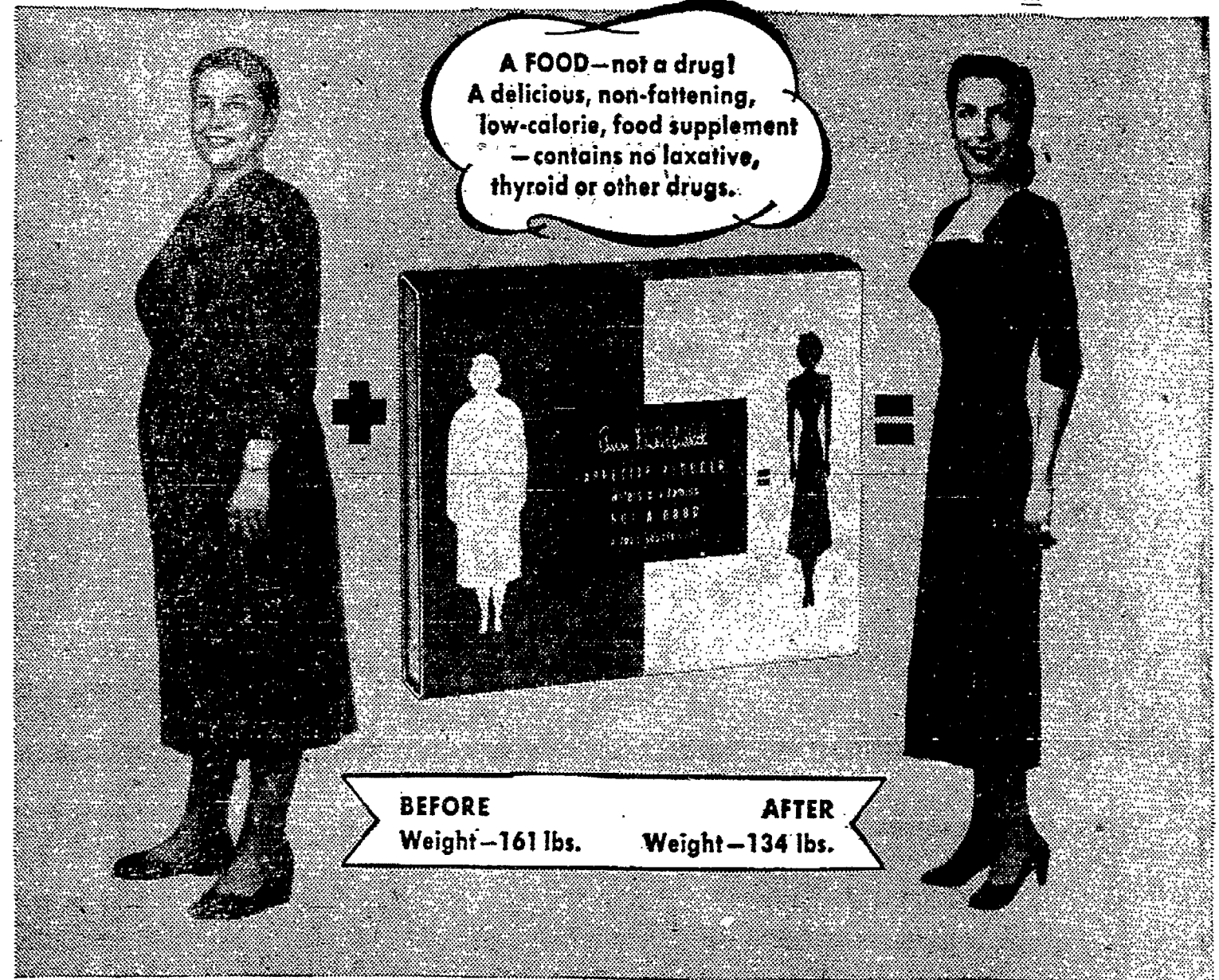
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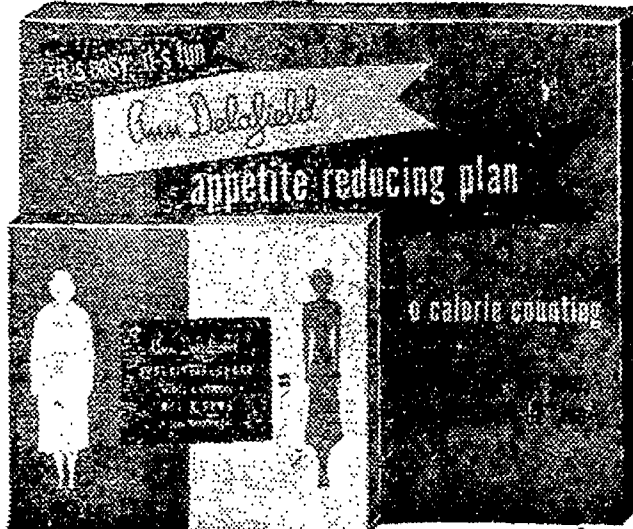
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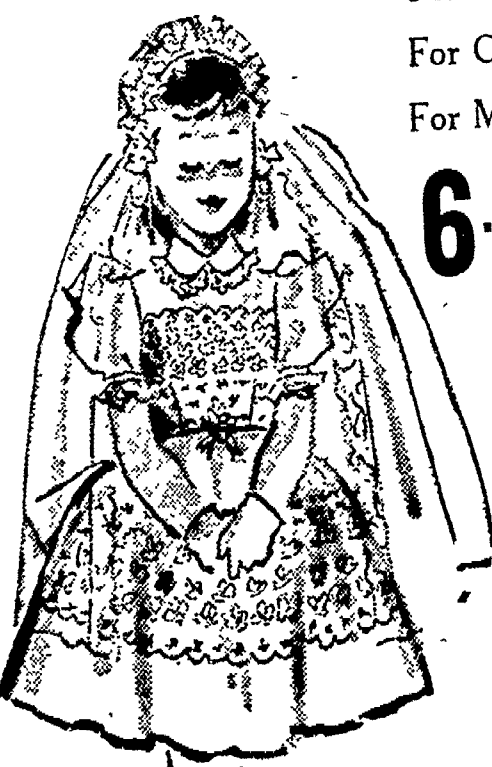
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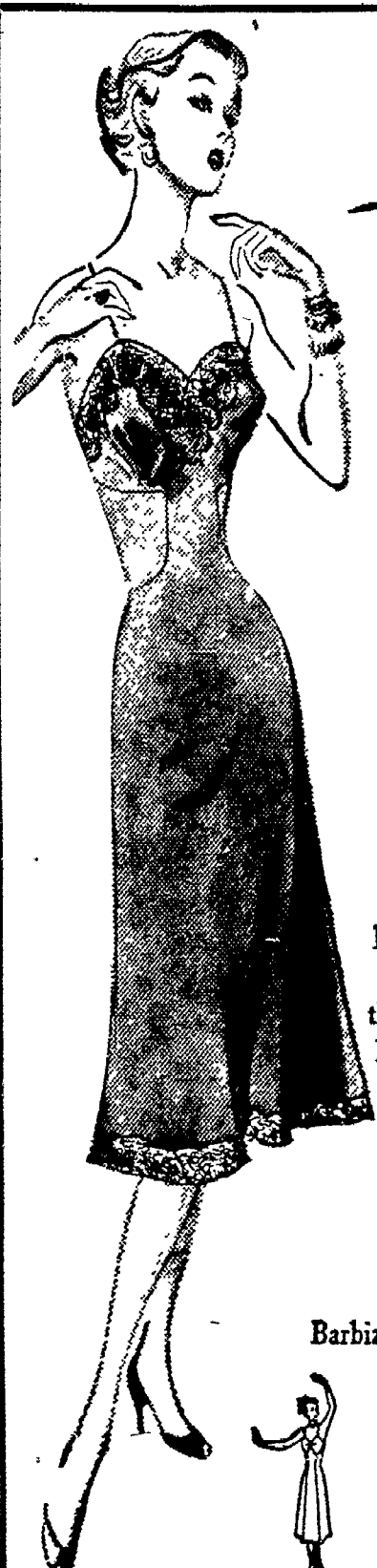
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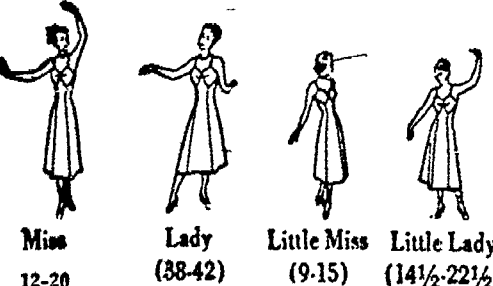


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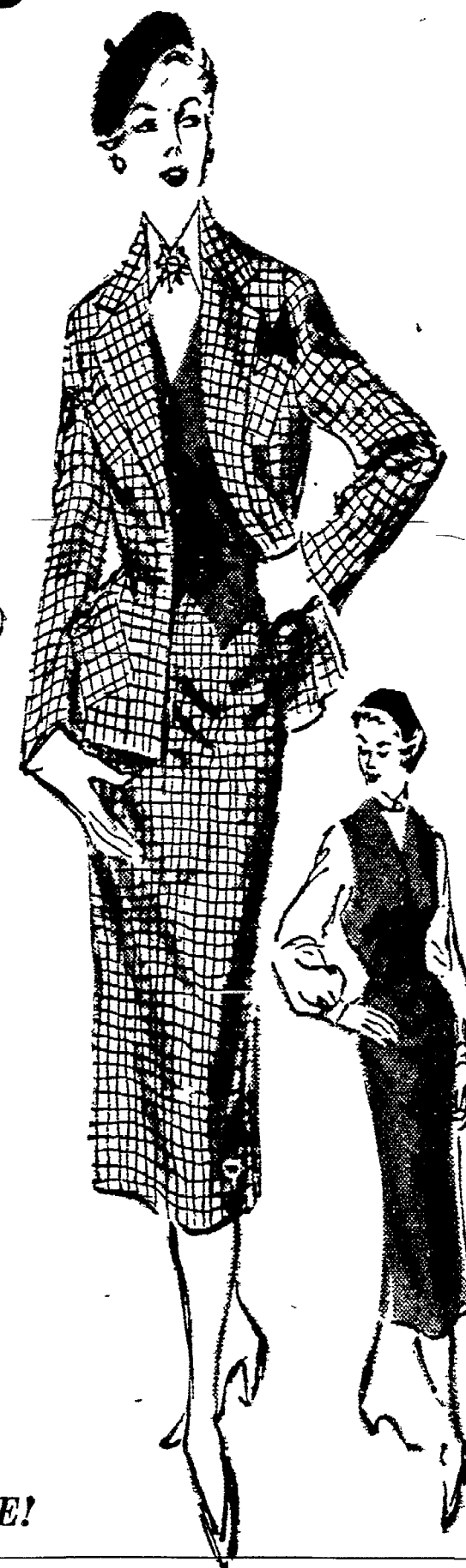
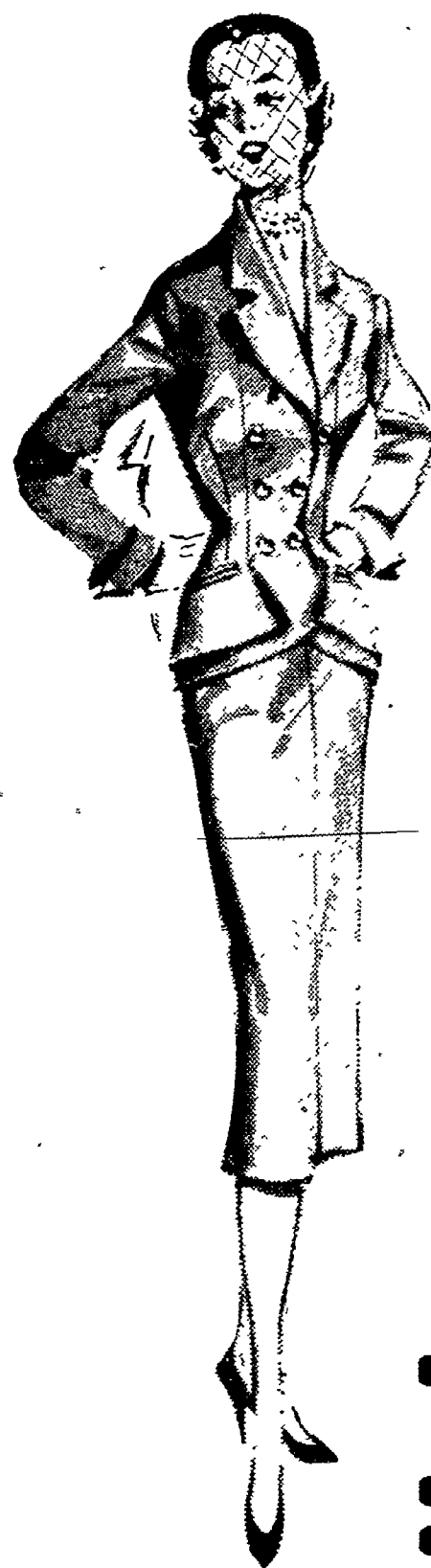
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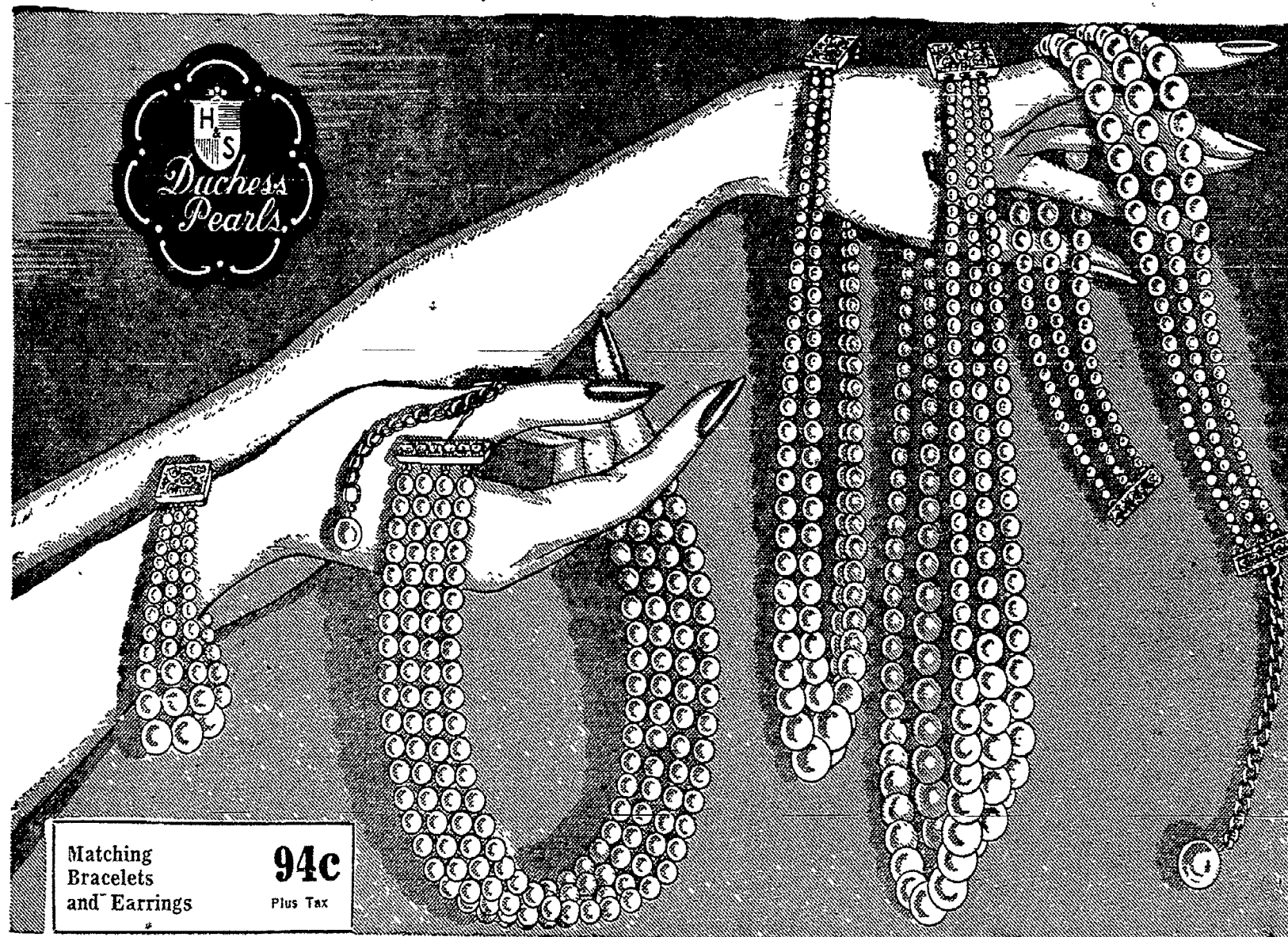
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Twelve-year-old May Queen Roseann Marczak, 1055 Queen street, crowns a statue of the Blessed Mother during recent May Day exercises in the grotto of St. Peter's Catholic church. More than 100 pupils of the parish school and numerous adult parishioners participated in the affair, which began with benediction celebrated by the Rev. John Naja, rector, in the church.

Obituaries

EMILY N. (SCHEFFEY) HIPPLE, wife of William F. Hipple, of SANATOGA, died in her home at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning. She was 54.

Mrs. Hipple had been in failing health for the past two years. She was born in Sanatoga where she lived all her life and was the daughter of the late Harry and Louisa (Hartenstine) Scheffey.

Mrs. Hipple had lived in the house in which she died since 1920. Her husband is the proprietor of Pleasant View Garage in Sanatoga.

Mrs. Hipple was a member of St. James Reformed church of Limerick, Schuylkill Chapter 338 of the Order of the Eastern Star, and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sanatoga Fire company.

Surviving are her husband; a daughter Frances, the wife of William F. Frantz, Kansas City, Kansas; a sister Annie M., wife of James H. Crater, Sanatoga; a brother Lloyd Scheffey, Sanatoga; and three grandchildren.

Services will be held from a funeral home at 112 Washington street Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Officiating will be the Rev. W. Reed Teitsworth, pastor of St. James Reformed church, Limerick. Interment will be in Mt. Zion cemetery.

EMMA (ANDERSON) GROSS, widow of John H. Gross, PENNSIDE, READING, died in her home yesterday morning at 11:25 o'clock. She was 79.

Mrs. Gross had been ill for the past six months.

Her husband died last April 29. Mrs. Gross was born in Shanesville, Berks county, and was the daughter of John and Sarah (Rhodes) Anderson.

Surviving are two sons, Herbert A. Gross, 1011 North Evans street; and Lloyd A. Gross, 354 North Charlotte street.

Two daughters are also surviving, Florence A. Gross and Edna A. Gross, both of whom live at their late mother's home in Pennside, Reading.

Mrs. Gross is the last of her immediate family.

Services will be held from a funeral home at 112 Washington street on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Officiating will be the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran church.

Interment will be in Pottstown West End cemetery.

Services for **JOHN A. ZIEGLER**, 108 SOUTH MADISON STREET, husband of the late Emma (Richard) Ziegler were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 112 Washington street.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor of St. James Lutheran church.

Interment was in Edgewood cemetery.

Bearers were George Ziegler, John Ziegler, Donald Keim, Leonard Haring, Milton Miller and Samuel Randazzo.

Services for **GRANVILLE S. MOYER**, 5 WALNUT STREET, husband of Eva (Bender) Moyer, will be held at a funeral home at 112 Washington street on Tuesday at 2 p.m.

Officiating will be the Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor of Zion Reformed church.

Interment will be in Pottstown East End cemetery.

AGREEMENT SIGNED ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia, May 15 (AP)—The Ethiopian Government today signed a Point Four agreement with the American Government.

Other races and contests will also be held in the morning following the singing and recitations by the different grades.

Sandlot Baseball Gets U. N. Guards 'Excited'

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., May 15 (AP)—Sandlot baseball created an international emergency today when guards found youngsters playing within base-hit range of the 39-story, glass-walled U. N. headquarters.

With 15 vertical acres of glass in the line of fire, the guards hustled the kids off the grounds and the emergency was over.

Area Woman Recovering From Wash Accident

A Pottstown area woman was recovering at home yesterday after her left hand was caught in a washing machine wringer.

Mrs. Helen Plumer, Township Line road, Pottstown RD 4, did not have any bones broken, and the pain had subsided by yesterday. She was treated Wednesday at Memorial hospital's dispensary.

New Foreign Policy Is Urged by Dulles

PITTSBURGH, May 15 (AP)—John Foster Dulles called tonight for a new U. S. foreign policy keyed to a firm warning to the Communists that any further aggression will be met by "retaliatory punishing power so severe that the aggression would not pay."

Dulles, who recently resigned as

a Republican adviser to Secretary of State Acheson, said that on the whole, U. S. policies since the end of the Second World War have been "dangerously inadequate."

"At a time when 800 million people — one-third of all the people there are — are subject to ruthless, terroristic despotism and being whipped, by fanatics, into a force for aggression, we talk of 'containment' and 'stalemate' as satisfactory goals," he said in a speech prepared for

a forum of the local Foreign Policy association.

"And at a time when Soviet Communism is using ideas as a principal missile, we rely almost wholly upon armament."

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Mrs. Myrtle Hoffman called on her sister, Mrs. Richard Linton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Syer of Ridge Road and Frank Faust and family of Mont Clare visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slider and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Samples called on Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Wynn to see their Wisteria in full bloom. Many others have called to see the flowers.

Mrs. Earl Slider observed her birthday anniversary recently.

Mrs. Marianna Johnson received on Mother's Day at Goodwill Methodist church a potted plant as the oldest mother present, and Mrs. J. B. Matlack Jr., for the largest family.

K. Estella James and sister attended a meeting of the WSCS of Elverson Methodist church.

Willard Ink and family visited J. H. Snyder and family.

K. Estella James attended the annual meeting of the Philadelphia conference, Women's Society of Christian Service in Arch street Methodist church, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Lulu Knauer of Spring City and Mrs. Clara Shenton of Pottstown were dinner guests of R. F. James and family.

Mrs. John Sandiford's mother has returned to her home in Ambler after spending several days with her daughter and family at the Baptist parsonage.

COLEBROOKDALE

Amy Dengler, corr. West News Agency, del. Phone Boyertown 7-2341

Mrs. Martha Venzke was honored on Mother's Day by her children, who visited her and brought gifts.

Mrs. Flora Erb and son Tommy of Rye, New York, spent several days with Mrs. Venzke, as did Mr. and Mrs. Robert Storm of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Venzke of Reading; Rupert Venzke and son, Rupert Jr., of Pottstown; Mrs. Oscar Venzke and children, Kathleen and Billy, of Halfway House; Mr. and Mrs. John Whitacre, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moyer of Spring City, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schlegel of Lansdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young, Norristown, were recent guests of Annie and Amy Dengler.

The pupils of the local school will play the pupils of Pine Forge school at a baseball game Saturday afternoon at the Field Day exercises of Douglass Township, to be held at Pine Forge consolidated school.

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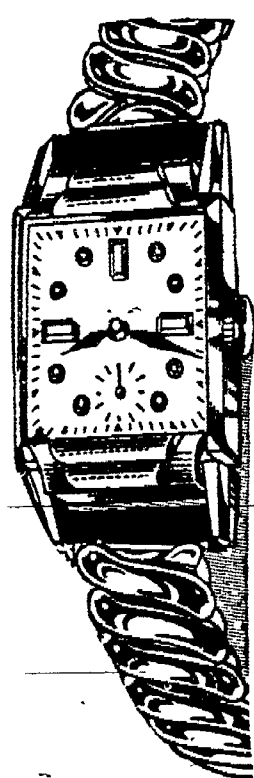
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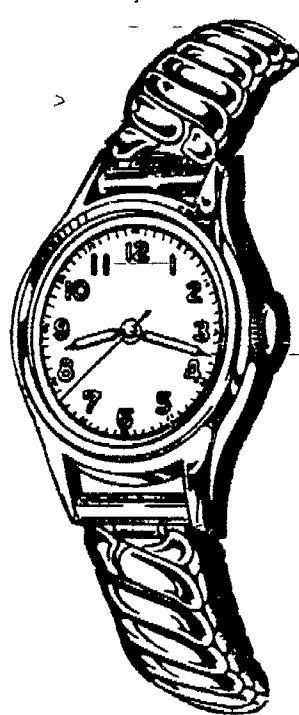
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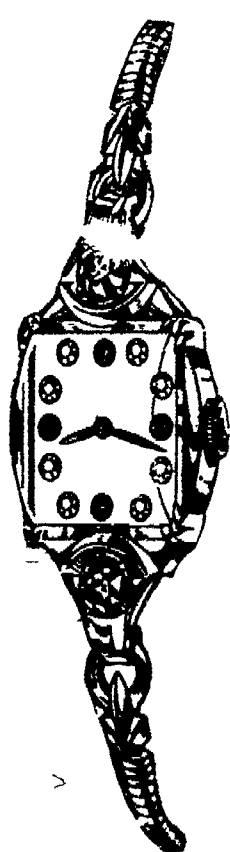
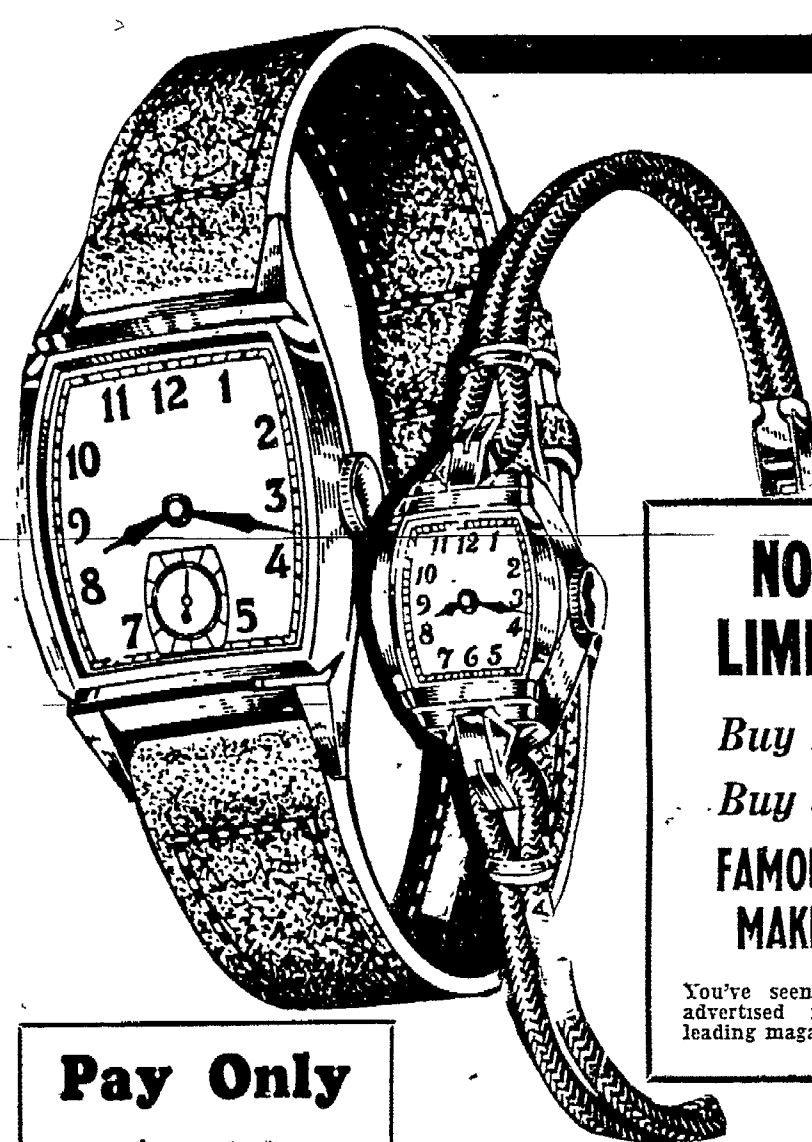
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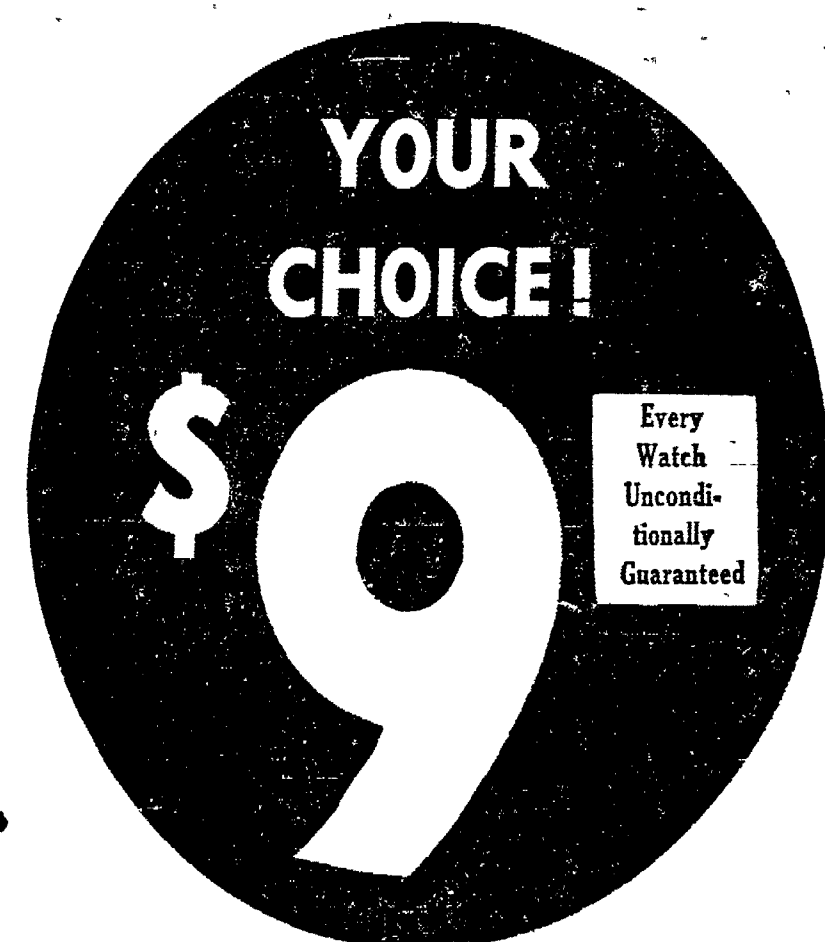
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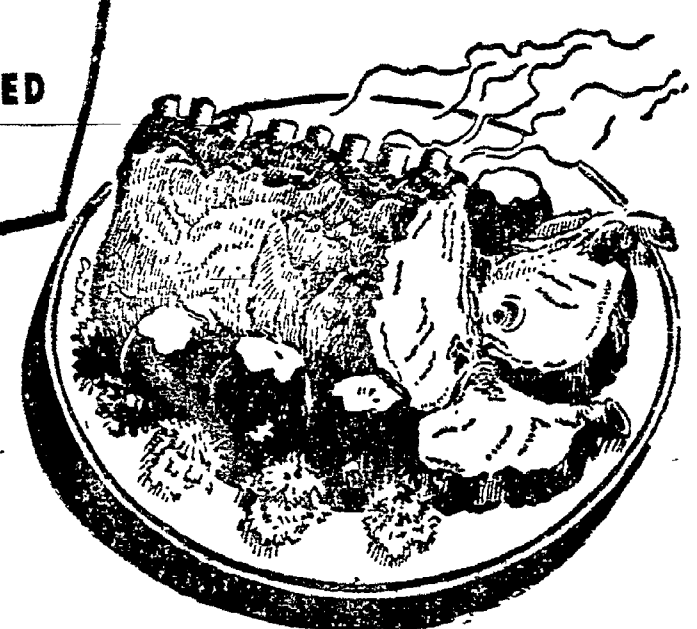
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KOJE PRISONERS PLACED BENEATH HARD MEASURES

Boatner Declares New
Policy Will Prevent
Any More Negotiations

KOJE ISLAND, Friday, May 16 (AP)—A new era of firm rule was proclaimed Thursday for Kojé island, ending soft measures that allowed Red prisoners to negotiate with their captors and flaunt "insulting signs."

Brig. Gen. Haydon Boatner made this clear to correspondents 24 hours after he had taken over the festering prison island—scene of two riots and the sensational seizure of Brig. Gen. Francis T. Dodd.

Boatner declared he would, of course, new strictly to the Geneva convention for humane treatment of war prisoners, but that the Communists behind the barbed wire would have to learn who was boss.

Even as Boatner talked with correspondents, three prisoners tried to escape from their compounds and one of them was shot by a guard.

Tanks, some of them equipped with flame throwers, stood ready to foil any mass escape attempt such as the Reds threatened at the height of the Dodd incident. Troops were on the alert. Camp authorities were confident they could prevent any big break by the 80,000 prisoners.

BOATNER SAID he believed the Allies had been too lenient on Kojé and had given prisoners "more, in my opinion, than required by the Geneva convention."

Boatner showed irritation at the idea of prisoners taking control inside the compounds and making demands on camp officials.

"Prisoners don't negotiate," he declared.

Correspondents asked if, in his brief tour of duty, he had seen things that needed changing on this island off the southeast coast of Korea.

"You're damned right I've spotted some things," he snapped. "For one thing, I don't like those insulting signs, and the flags, and the demands."

Boatner's stiff attitude doubtless was bolstered by the dissatisfaction shown by higher authorities in Tokyo and Washington over the way the Dodd kidnapping incident was handled.

(Rep. Mansfield (D-Mont) introduced a bill in Washington for a congressional investigation of the incident, declaring "we in the Congress must find out who is responsible for this monumental blunder that has so irreparably damaged our military effort and true negotiations on Korea.")

(SEN. BRIDGES (R-NH) said after Secretary of Army Pace was quizzed behind closed doors that the Senate Preparedness subcommittee would investigate the affair.)

Gen. Mark Clark, the Allied commander, Thursday repudiated the actions of Boatner's predecessor, Brig. Gen. Charles Colson, in negotiating for Dodd's release. Dodd was commander of Kojé when he was seized.

Colson's statements to the Reds that there would be "no more forced screening of prisoners" if Dodd was released unharmed prompted Clark to declare that Colson exceeded his authority.

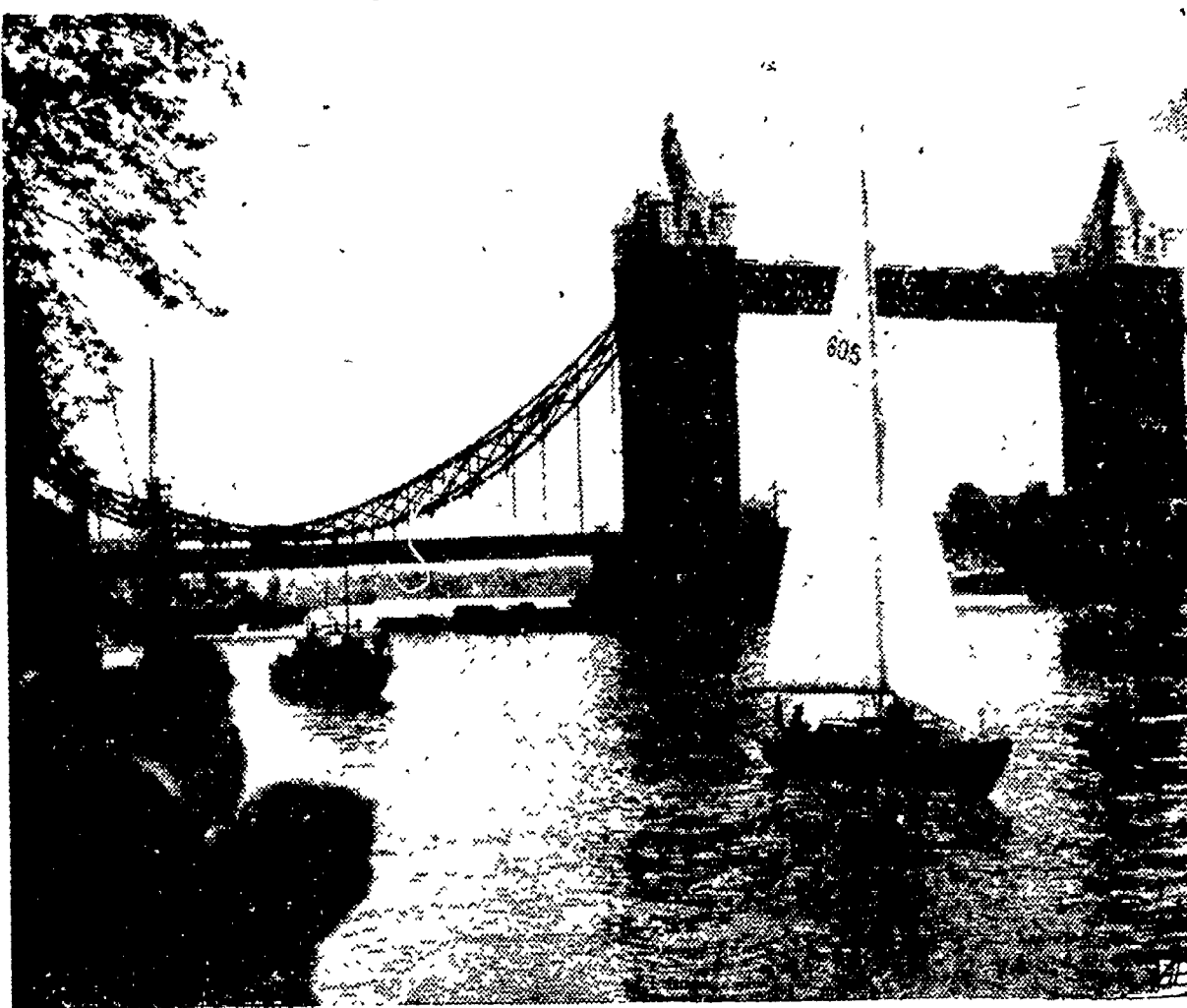
The U. N. command insists there have been no forced screenings. Clark said Colson had no authority to accept "any of the vicious and false charges upon which the Communist demands were based."

Clark had earlier said he would make no public statement on the Colson-Dodd situation until an Army investigation was concluded, or at least nearly so.

Clark called both Dodd and Colson to Tokyo for a face-to-face meeting Thursday. He said the meeting was to get factual information. He denied published reports that he reprimanded either general at the time.

CLARK WAS obviously concerned with the use the Reds would make of the incident in creating propaganda at the armistice talks.

Ready for Yachting's Best



Royal Navy Sailing Association's yacht Samuel Pepys sails up Thames in London after fitting-out at Plymouth for Bermuda yacht races.

Confessed Spy Given 10 Years Imprisonment

MUNICH, Germany, May 15 (AP)—A former Munich soap box derby manager who confessed spying for and two children. He managed Czechoslovakia was sentenced to 10 years imprisonment by a U. S. court today.

Oskar Thiel-Malok, 30, admitted receiving \$700 for taking military information on four trips to Czechoslovakia the past year. He said he needed the money to emigrate to Argentina with his invalid wife and two children. He managed road the past year was awarded one of the ten press prizes at the West German photographic industry's exhibition here today.

PICTURE TAKES PRIZE

COLOGNE, Germany, May 15 (AP)—A picture of the Duke of Windsor lunching beside a deserted German road the past year was awarded one of the ten press prizes at the West German photographic industry's exhibition here today.

Abbreviated Meeting Is Held by Eagles

The Fraternal Order of Eagles held an abbreviated meeting last night because of illness of six of the 15 members.

H. Robert Harriman, vice president of the order who will become president in June, presided at the meeting in place of the incumbent president, William Mauger, who was not present.

It was proposed that the shuffle board bowling league of the order meet on Tuesday and Thursday when the league games commence.

No new business was discussed because of the great percentage of absentees.

Jet Fighters Grounded After Crash in Ocean

LONDON, May 15 (AP)—The U. S. Third Air Force today temporarily grounded all American jet fighter planes based in Britain after a Thunderjet crashed at sea off southern England yesterday.

The pilot parachuted to safety from his flaming plane and was picked up at sea. It was the second mishap to U. S. jet fighters in training flights here in the past three weeks.

On April 27 a flaming Thunderjet hurtled into a bank building in the coastal town of St. Peter's, Kent, near Broadstairs, killing the pilot and an elderly English couple. Several other persons were injured.

When people die of Asiatic cholera, their bodies may remain warm a long time, and the temperature may even rise after death.

Like Back in London, Pays Farewell Visits

LONDON, May 15 (AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower came back today to this teeming city that regards him as one of her own and paid farewell calls on Britain's dinner guests of Prime Minister three queens.

In less than three hours, the general and Mrs. Eisenhower met Gen. young Queen Elizabeth II, Queen Mother Elizabeth and Queen today to this teeming city that regards him as one of her own and paid farewell calls on Britain's dinner guests of Prime Minister three queens. and Mrs. Winston Churchill at No. 10 Downing street. There the two men who helped design the Allied victory of World War II expected to exchange tips on a mutual hobby—painting.

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A Quick Look at Your Neighbor

By ED ZUMACH

IF there's one thing on which Charles S. Nagle prides himself it is his forecast 20 years ago that if Pottstown ever developed it would have to expand toward the East End.

That belief prompted him to move his automobile agency in 1933 to its present location at 1340 High street from 18 South Hanover street. The move gave him plenty of space for construction of a service station there in 1936 and the opening of a used car lot a few years later.

He also predicted accurately that the East End eventually would be termed "automobile row" because of the future location there of automobile agencies, service stations, auto body repair shops and appliance stores.

A neatly dressed, white-haired man who claims the title of oldest dealer in one make of car in the borough, Nagle "got into the automobile business because I always wanted to work for myself."

A native Pottsonian, he was graduated from the borough Senior High School and worked in an industrial plant in town when a friend informed him in 1923 an auto agency franchise was available.

Since the desire to be his own boss was firmly implanted in his mind, Nagle snapped up the franchise and, with his own and borrowed capital, opened his agency June 16, 1923.

As the residential section of Pottstown crept northward from Fifth street, Nagle added more employees and continued to improve his business.

Today he has 13 employees and is well satisfied with the growth of his firm.

A quiet man of 55 who often puts in 14 to 16 hours a day in his comfortably-furnished office, he tries to keep in shape by visiting the YMCA Health club twice a week. Nagle seeks relaxation in playing the electric organ in his home and traveling with his wife, Marian, to whom he's been married 26 years.

A music lover since his boyhood, he began studying the piano and organ in his youth and plays considerably now. His wife, the daughter of a piano teacher, also plays the piano.

Nagle's organ playing is "just for my own amusement, not amusement," he says with a laugh.

Since 1939 he and his wife have traveled approximately 100,000 miles by commercial airlines. A past president of the Rotary club, he often mixes club business with pleasure on his trips.

The Nagles' flights have taken them to the Bahamas, Cuba, Canada and most of the states. Next week they plan to fly to Mexico for two weeks.

In addition to his Rotary activities he is president of the YMCA, has been a trustee and treasurer of Searles Memorial Methodist church the past 25 years, and is president of the Bucks-Montgomery counties Dodge Dealers association.

The greatest grief in his life was the death of his older daughter, Helen Marie, in 1944 as the result of an automobile accident in Sanatoga. She had worked at The Mercury as a copy girl while a senior in high school.

The accident occurred eight days after her graduation from high school. She was unconscious 46 days before her death.

Nagle's other three children are Charles S. Jr. and Robert L., both Pennsylvania Military college students, and Janet L., a secretary at Memorial hospital.

The family lives at Wilson road and Burdan drive.

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"JUST like people."

That statement by Willard L. Kline explains his boundless enthusiasm for his position as manager of the Pottstown sub-district of the Bell Telephone company.

It also explains why Kline, a genial, heavy-set man of 54, bid adieu to his first job as a clerk with the Reading company in 1923 after six years, to become a commercial representative for Bell.

"The clerk's job was just routine," he says. "You never got to meet a lot of people. As a commercial representative I was always meeting new and different people. Instead of being in an office all day, I was out on the street and meeting folks in their homes."

His natural affinity for greeting everyone in his home town, Lansdale, with a smile, already had resulted in a wealth of friendships, but his starting position there with Bell opened the way for the cultivation of hundreds of others.

Since becoming manager in 1934 of the Pottstown and Phoenixville business offices, which handle the affairs of six other exchange offices in the Pottstown area, he has been able to meet literally thousands of other people.

Kline's major delight in his job is "being able to help people, especially in the emergencies that pop up." An efficient staff of young women in his office handles most of the requests for service and the complaints. But Kline often must explain Bell procedures to subscribers not satisfied with explanations offered by his staff.

With his tremendous enthusiasm and 29 years of experience bolstering him, he almost always is able to send the insistent customer away with a smile replacing the scowl he wore on entering Kline's office.

When the customer leaves the office satisfied, Kline's own everyday smile broadens noticeably.

The emergencies he enjoys usually arise when a business firm must locate a field representative or business contract in a distant town and knows little of the person's whereabouts. Rarely does Kline fail to find him.

As his penchant for meeting people indicates, Kline possesses a gentle nature. This is borne out by the disclosure that he enjoys gardening and auto trips through rural areas with his wife, to whom he has been married 33 years.

A Rotarian since 1934, Kline, was president of the Pottstown club in 1951. He is an avid baseball fan who believes the Phillies will give the National league pennant-winner "a lot of trouble" if they don't capture the flag themselves.

A special treat for him is being able to attend a Phillies night game in Shibe park. Baseball has been one of his two principal sports interests since he was forced by the pressure of business to abandon golf a few years ago.

The other interest is fishing.

"I often go down to Montgomery county park with my 8-year-old grandson," he says. "We rarely catch many fish, but we have a lot of fun!"

Kline lends a hand in the Community Chest and Red Cross drives each year. He and his wife have spent most of their vacations in New England, because "it's beautiful country up there."

The Klines, who live at 1314 Queen street, have two married daughters, Mrs. C. A. Brown Jr., of Kenilworth, and Mrs. Luther Guest, of Hanover Heights.



Charles S. Nagle



Willard L. Kline

Horsemeat for Humans Still Illegal in Penna.

HARRISBURG, May 15 (P)—The State Agriculture department said today it is still illegal in Pennsylvania to sell horsemeat for human consumption, despite an Office of Price Stabilization ruling.

W. S. Hagar, deputy secretary of agriculture, said yesterday's OPS announcement that butchers and meat backers may resume mixing horsemeat in sausage has no effect in Pennsylvania.

Cashier Is Arrested In Spy Ring Probe

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, May 15 (P)—A cashier at an Army fortress guarding north Sweden from Russian attack has been arrested in connection with the probe of a Communist spy ring.

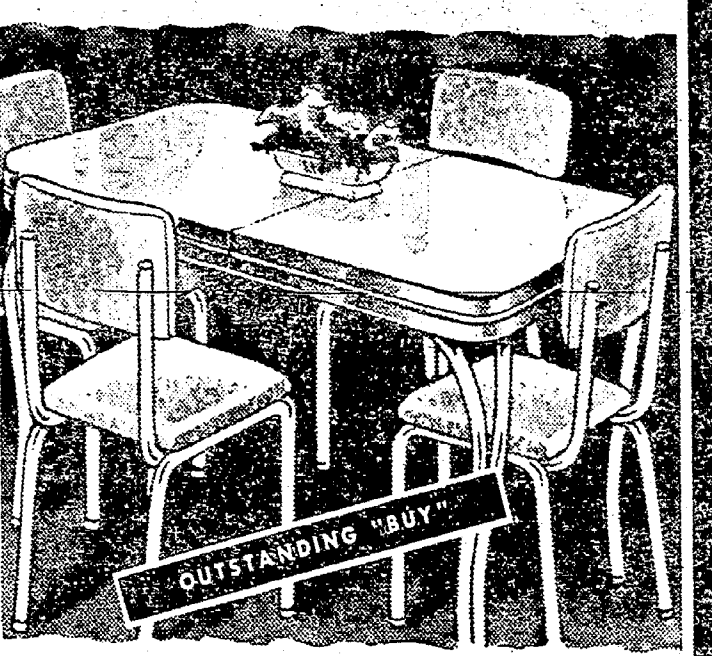
He is Tage Wikstrom, 37, a clerk and cashier at Boden. Wikstrom is the seventh person arrested so far in the investigation of a spy ring charged with spying for Russia.

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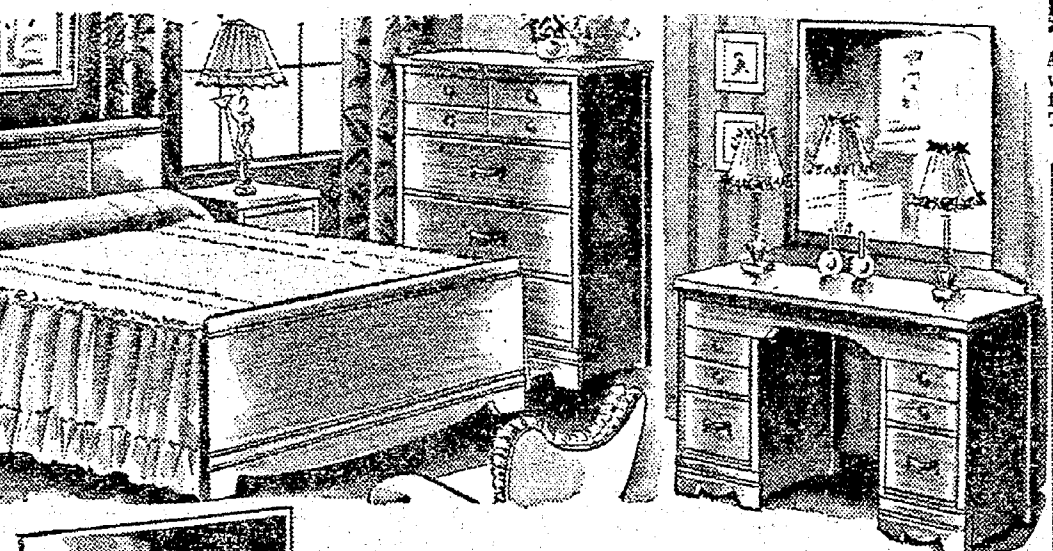


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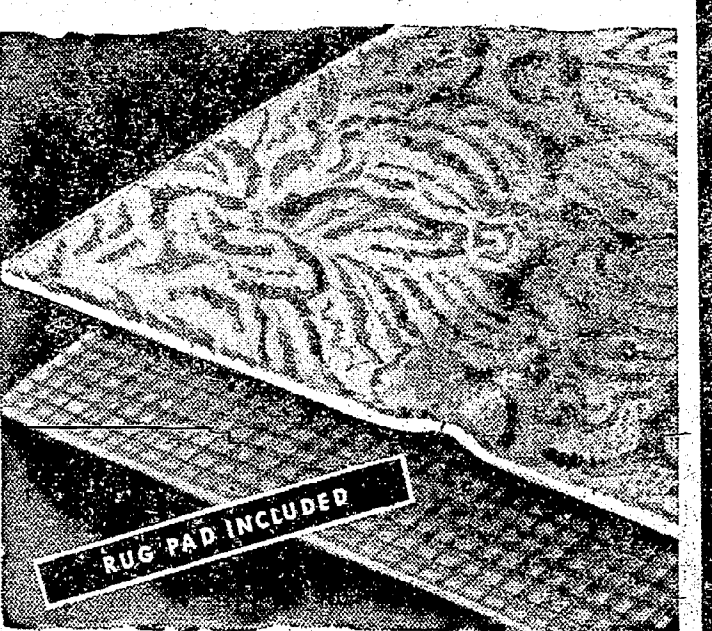


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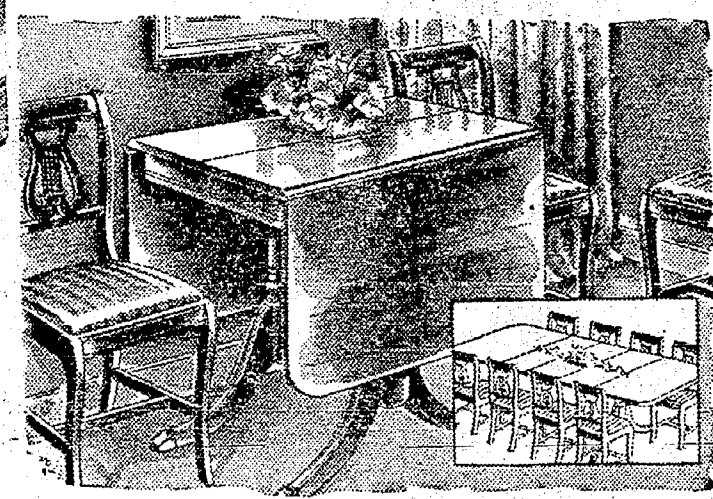
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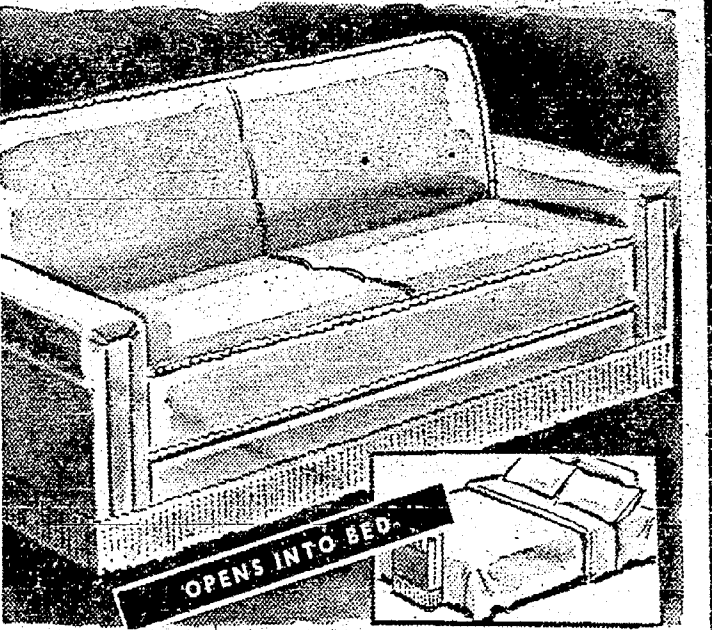
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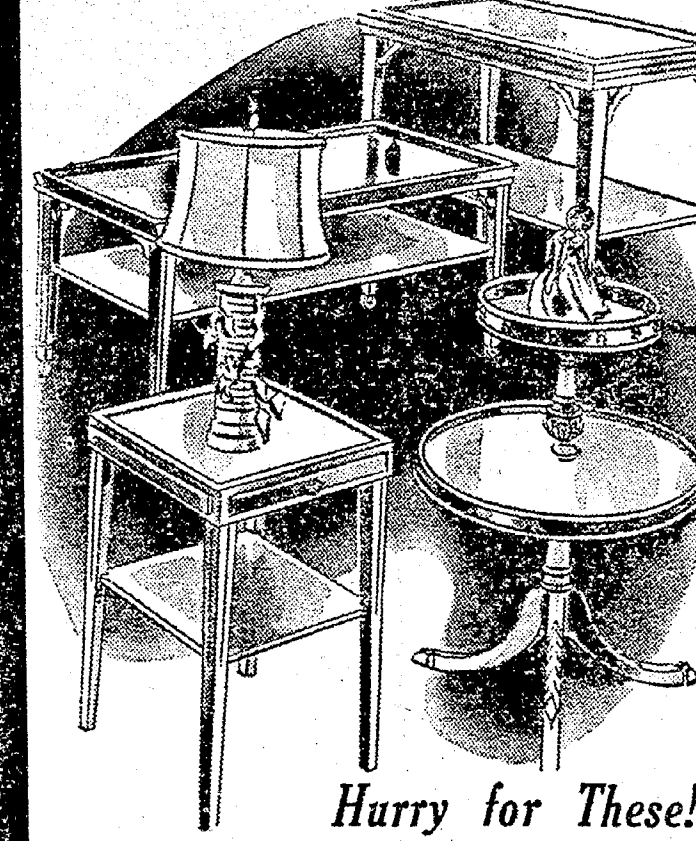
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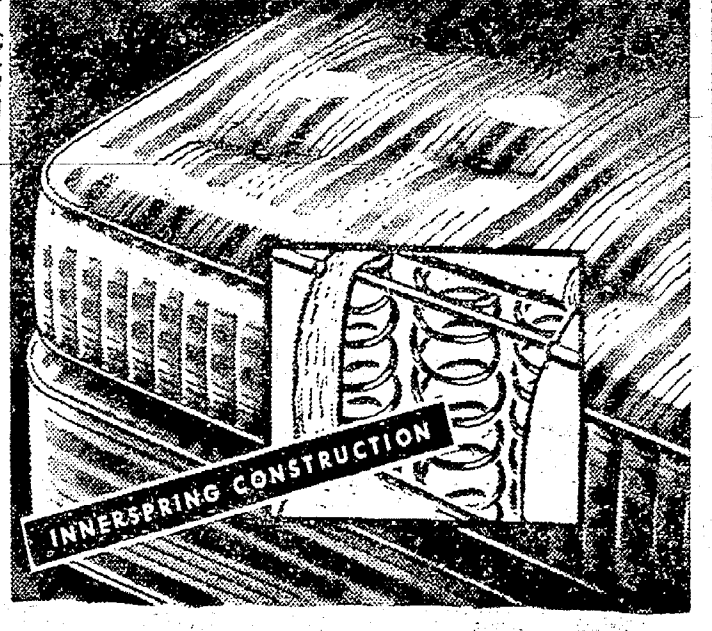
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American Admirals Praise U. N. Success

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., May 15 (AP)—Two high-ranking American naval officers said tonight the U. N. has been successful in stopping aggression in Korea.

Vice Adm. Arthur D. Struble, who commanded the Inchon landings under Gen Douglas MacArthur in mid-September, 1950, said the U. N. forces "accomplished what we set out to do. We threw back the aggressor and we kept the republic of Korea a free nation."

Vice Adm. Oscar C. Badger, U. S. Naval representative on the U. N. military staff committee, said:

"In Korea, the United Nations have proved that it could guard the independence of a small nation against a powerful aggressor—provided enough members of the United Nations are ready and willing to fight to uphold the purposes and principles of the organization."

Matching the Type



William Hawes ponders over what sea shells he will utilize for trimming hand-woven date palm frond hats he makes in his Pacific Palisades, Calif., studio.

Allied Warplanes Smash Communist Center for Vehicles

SEOUL, Friday, May 16 (AP)—Allied warplanes Thursday smashed a big vehicle repair center in northwest Korea and shredded the Communist patchwork rail system with high explosives.

As they dealt their blows, a three-plane flight of Red MIG jets flashed out of Manchuria and tried to interfere. All three were shot down by alert U. S. Sabres on patrol along the frontier, pilots said.

The U. S. Fifth Air Force said fighter-bombers rained bombs and flaming gasoline on the vehicle center north of the Korean Red capital of Pyongyang. Sixteen buildings were left in fiery ruin.

Other fighter-bombers broke the Red rail lines northwest of Korea in 67 places and pounded front line troop and gun positions.

THE FURIOUS, five-minute air battle produced a new U. S. jet ace, Lieut. James H. Kasler, Indianapolis.

Kasler said he turned one MIG-15 into "a ball of flame" and picked off another in a wild chase at tree-top level for his fourth and fifth kills of the war. It takes five kills to make an ace.

Aground, patrols continued

Boy Scouts to Hike To Undisclosed Spot

Boy Scouts of the Frontier district of the Chester county council will hike to an undisclosed location for a camporee tomorrow.

Each participating unit will be given coded directions to the camporee when they arrive within three miles of the site.

Announcement of the location will be made in time for visitors to attend the camporee to see demonstrations of camping and cooking, living in the open and so they can attend the evening campfire.

Patrols will be judged at unannounced intervals and standings will be disclosed on Sunday at 1:45 p.m.

Church services for both Protestants and Catholics are scheduled for Sunday morning in keeping with the scout law, "A scout is reverent."

their ceaseless chore of locating enemy positions, touching off a series of small clashes.

(The North Korean war communique broadcast by Pyongyang asserted that nine Allied planes were shot down by ground fire in front line and rear areas Thursday. Allied planes losses if any are announced weekly.)

Rough Road Is Seen In U. S. Cotton Industry

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 15 (AP)—Though the Nation's cotton textile industry has gone through its blackest days, there's a rough road ahead, leaders of the industry said today.

Growing foreign competition and a world-wide narrowing of markets are among the largest stumbling blocks the industry faces.

Two 'Slay Down' Fliers Separated From Service

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 15 (AP)—Randolph Air Force Base here said today two of the six Randolph airmen who staged a "slay down" strike last month will be separated from service under conditions neither "honorable nor dishonorable."

The two, now at air training command headquarters, Scott Air Force Base, Belleville, Ill., are First Lt. James G. Bristol, 35, Harlan, Ia., a pilot, and First Lt. Edward L. Cox, 35, a bombardier from St. Louis, Mo. Both are married and have children. Bristol based his refusal to fly on fear of disturbing his wife, whose first husband was killed in an airplane accident in World War II.

Union Contract Signed Granting Wage Raises

PITTSBURGH, May 15 (AP)—Pittsburgh Plate and Libby-Owens-Ford Glass companies signed a union contract today granting immediate wage raises ranging from 8 to 16 cents an hour to 18,000 employees in seven states.

The companies, in a joint announcement with the CIO Federation of Glass, Ceramic and Silica Sand Workers, gave details of an agreement signed at Miami Beach, Fla., to expire May 15, 1954.

All employees get immediate raises of eight cents an hour plus an additional eight cents for maintenance and non-bonus workers. The pact also provides that production workers will get a total increase of 14 cents an hour by Nov. 15, 1953, and maintenance and non-bonus workers 22 cents.

Synagog

Congregation Mercy and Truth, Dr. Emil Schorsch, rabbi, tonight, 7:30 p. m., Kabbalah Shabbat; 8 p. m., evening service, sermon theme: "Ancient and Immortal Social Laws." Tomorrow, 9 a. m., morning service; 3:30 p. m., advanced Hebrew study; 7:45 p. m., evening service, Sunday, 9 a. m., morning service; 10:45 a. m., inter-school picnic at Camp Council, Phoenixville. Daily services, 7 a. m. and 8 p. m. Monday through Thursday, after school, Hebrew school, Tuesday, 1:30 p. m., Needlework Guild, at the home of Mrs. Herman Lichtman; 8:30 p. m., Jewish War Veterans Ladies' auxiliary membership tea and meeting, Wednesday, 3:30 p. m., High school class, Thursday, 7:30 p. m., services at Valley Forge Army hospital.

CHURCH SET AFIRE

BOGOTA, Colombia, May 15 (AP)—A dispatch to the newspaper El Espectador said today unidentified persons set fire Sunday to the Protestant church in Genova, about 100 miles west of Bogota.

Measure Allows 20% Deductions for Charity

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—The Senate Finance committee today voted to permit Federal income taxpayers to deduct from taxable income any charitable contributions up to 20 percent of their income. The present ceiling is 15 percent.

The provision was approved as an amendment to a House bill which would permit sports organizations to deduct from their gross income proceeds of any benefit given for the Red Cross.

If the amended bill is approved by the Senate, it will have to go back to the House.

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Military Buildup Okay, Fleischmann Asserts

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—Manly Fleischmann, retiring head of the Defense Production Administration, said today, "I know of no steps we could have taken to increase military buildup that were not taken."

He was commenting on a statement by Bernard M. Baruch that the Government had followed a fumbling mobilization policy and specifically that the buildup of air power was too slow.

Fleischmann also said he opposed the 46 billion dollar ceiling the House has voted for military spending in the new fiscal year starting July 1.

IKE MEETING PLANNED

HARRISBURG, May 15 (AP)—Gov. John S. Fine, after two conferences with Gen. Douglas MacArthur, disclosed today he plans to meet with Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower at New York next month.

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Picture Interference	Low	Medium-Low	Medium	Medium	Medium-Low
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Piano pupils of Mrs. Lewin B. Deery, 512 Washington street, Royersford, recently played in the national piano playing auditions sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers in Reading. These auditions are held in some 400 audition centers in the United States. Mrs. Mary P. Costa, New York, was the guild examiner at the Reading center. The following local pupils were awarded national member certificates and fraternity pins: Barbara and Sandra Adams, Carol Brown, Marie Devine, Darlene and James Oehlert. District certificates and fraternity pins were awarded Douglas Bean, Judy Brown, Joanne Kepler and Muriel Strunk.

THE FOLLOWING received local certificates and fraternity pins: Jon Paugh, Joy Nurnberg, Jack Lorenzo, Constance Hyden, Emma Jean Slifer, Joan Thompson, Sandra Bertolet and Jane Heiser. Performances were graded on accuracy, technique, rhythm, phrasing, dynamics, style and interpretation.

DEATHS-FUNERALS
MISS ALICE QUINN, Gay street, PHOENIXVILLE, died at 7:15 o'clock yesterday morning in the Phoenixville plant of Spring City Knitting company, where she had been employed at the Spring City Knitting company. She was a member of St. Ann's church, Phoenixville. She was the last of her family. She is survived only by nieces and nephews. Funeral will be held from a funeral home at 304 Franklin avenue, Phoenixville, Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock, with Solemn Requiem mass in St. Ann's church at 10 o'clock and interment in St. Mary's cemetery, Phoenixville. Of every 100 hen eggs placed in incubators, it is estimated that about two dozen fail to hatch.

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Godshall, Batten Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Godshall, 304 Broad street, Spring City, announced the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth H. Godshall, to Roger Batten, A. B. 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Batten, 905 Walnut street, Royersford, at a supper recently. Miss Godshall is a graduate of Spring City High school, class of 1949, and is a member of the 1952 graduating class of the Presbyterian School of Nursing, Philadelphia. Batten is a graduate of Royersford High school, class of 1947. He is now serving with the U. S. Navy aboard the aircraft carrier USS Midway. Those attending the supper were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Batten and children, Roland, Sandra and Beverly; Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Godshall, Donald Godshall, Mrs. Ida Mannion, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Godshall and son, David, and the honored couple. No date has been set for the wedding.

Wednesday Set As Meeting Date For Clubwomen

Woman's club of Royersford will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in First Reformed church social hall. Members were asked to bring guests. The business session will include election of officers and action on items to be presented by the executive board, which met recently at the home of Mrs. Carl B. Merz, president. Annual reports of committee chairmen also will be presented. Major C. W. Trask, Valley Forge Army hospital, will be the speaker for the program, following the business meeting. The program also will include original poetry by Mrs. John Marshall Frye and Mrs. Oliver C. Kuntzleman. Members who attended the executive board meeting were Mrs. Jackson Breaks, Mrs. Charles Thompson, Mrs. Paul Krasley, Mrs. Donald Maier, Mrs. Ralph Landes, Mrs. William Harbison, Mrs. W. E. Diemer, Mrs. William Wolfe and Mrs. David Finkbner. It is believed that South Asiatic people began migrating eastward across the Pacific about the time of Christ.

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Rescuers strive to free Mrs. Stella Howard (left) and her daughter, Joan, as they lay trapped in a folding bed in their Los Angeles apartment. The whole thing started when the women thought they heard a mouse in a closet and decided to investigate. A moment later, the bed began to act like a robot Machiavelli—it squeaked, rumbled and, with cunning finally, plopped its headboard down tight on the shoulders. Officers worked an hour to get them out.

Rebekahs, Odd Fellows To Hold Rally Tomorrow

A rally sponsored by the Rebekahs and Odd Fellows of Chester county will be held in the form of a banquet tomorrow night at 6:30 o'clock at Kimberton Grange, in honor of Grandmaster Ray Hummelberger and his staff of Grand lodge officers. Entertainment will follow. Edwin Todd, Spring City, will serve as master of ceremonies. Samuel Stauffer, Royersford, is chairman of the rally committee.

Large Rubber Cargo Will Sail to Red China

COLOMBO, Ceylon, May 15 (AP)—The Ceylon Trading company, agents for the Polish freighter Killinski, said today she would sail next week for Communist China with a cargo of 6000 tons of rubber. That is the largest single rubber shipment ever to go from Ceylon to Red China. The shipment will bring Chinese purchases from this British dominion in the past eight months to 13,500 tons.

Fire Chief's Car Called Hot Rod by Angry Citizen

WARREN, May 15 (AP)—James Valone, an irate citizen, rose at a public meeting in this western Pennsylvania community and said: "I was shocked to see a hot rod speeding after the fire truck the other day down a main street. Why don't the police arrest him?" A policeman stood up after the tirade and explained: "We can't. That's the fire chief's car." The chrysanthemum probably has been known for 2000 years.

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Soldiers to Get Awards At Valley Forge Hospital

PHOENIXVILLE, May 15 (AP)—Sgt. William B. Henderson of Lonsdale, R. I., and Corp. Donald Petra of Little Ferry, N. J., will be awarded the silver star Saturday in ceremonies at the Valley Forge General hospital here. The Army hospital is holding an open house as part of Phoenixville's dogwood tree day and Col. John M. Welch, commanding officer of the hospital will present the medals. Henderson, who lost part of his right hand in combat in Korea, is receiving his medal for action at Woungu where he led a platoon against enemy emplacements without regard of his own safety. Some 450 enemy dead were counted after Henderson's platoon finished its job. Petra led a squad in action against an enemy emplacement at Sindok in Korea. He rallied his men by advancing up a hill and refusing to retreat though under withering enemy fire. Both men are recuperating at the hospital here.

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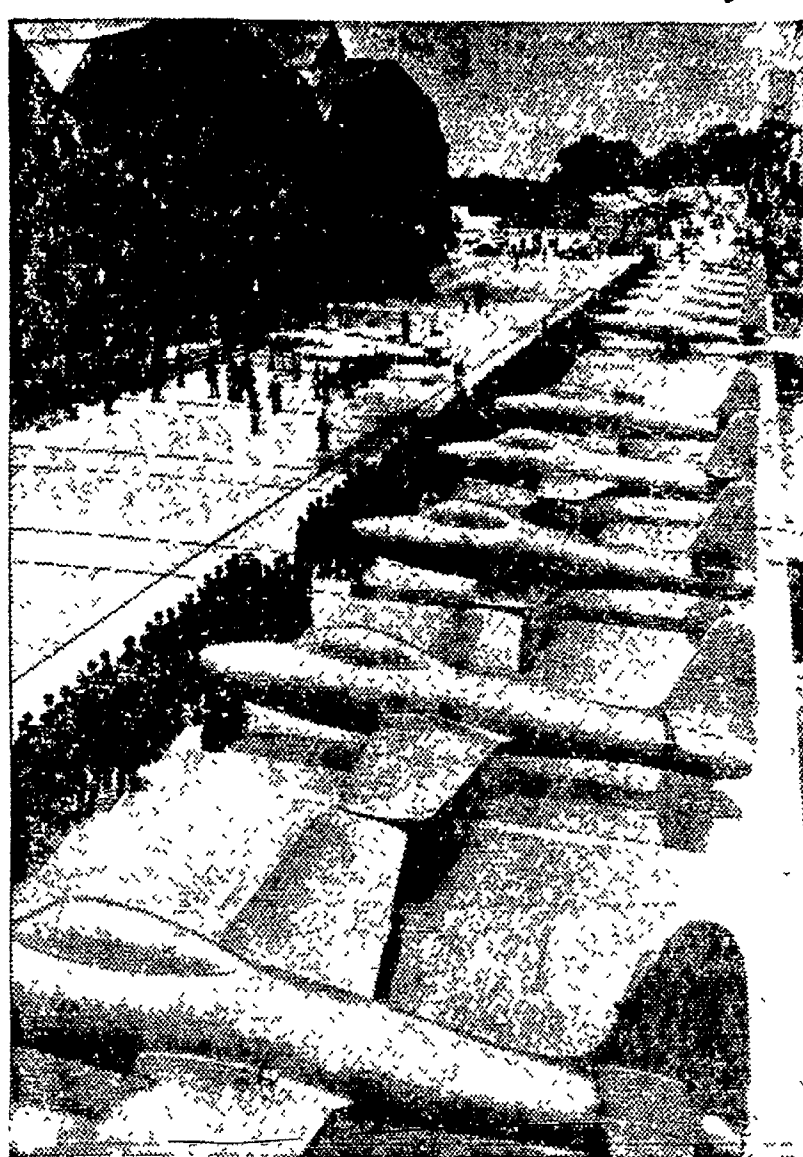
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U.S. Hands Over Jets to Italy



Here's a general view of the ceremony at Brindisi, Italy, as a shipment of U. S. jet fighter-bombers was formally turned over to the Italian Air Force under terms of the mutual security pact. Italian and U. S. dignitaries are pictured on the platform at left.

Business Is Charged With 'Grand Strategy'

PHILADELPHIA, May 15 (AP)—Sen. Humphrey (D-Minn.) charged today that corporate interests are using the steel labor dispute as part of a "grand strategy" to kill the Truman administration's inflation control program.

Humphrey told the 2500 cheering delegates at the CIO-Steelworkers union convention that business interests have been attempting for two years to destroy wage-price controls and now are redoubling their efforts in the Congress.

"Do you realize what is going on?" Humphrey asked. "This is the final play. This is the grand play. This is the end of the grand strategy to put an end to the price control and to the anti-inflation control of your Government."

"That's what it amounts to. This is an effort on the part of the corporate industries."

PHILIP MURRAY, head of the CIO and the Steelworkers union, told the convention again that he never would agree to steel industry labor contracts containing anything less than the 26-cent hourly package and union shop recommended by the Wage Stabilization board.

"This organization is not going to compromise any more on this issue," Murray insisted. "Our demands already have been compromised by the WSB. We didn't get all we wanted by any means, and we're in no mood to compromise any more with anybody."

Steel companies have rejected the WSB's full proposals on the ground they would be too costly. Both Humphrey and another speaker, Joseph A. Beirne, president of the CIO's Communication Workers and a former labor member of the WSB, contended that the board's findings were modest and justified.

Beirne said any suggestion that the WSB's public and labor members had gotten together in "some sort of collusive agreement" in the steel case was "nothing more than a deliberate, premeditated and damnable lie."

HE SAID labor members often

Stock Exchange Closed To Honor Man's Decision

BOMBAY, India, May 15 (AP)—The Bombay stock exchange was closed today to honor the son of a now-dead multimillionaire trader on renouncing his father's profession to become a begging monk of the Jain faith.

Observers called it the strangest reason on record for closing a major stock exchange.

When the 19-year-old youth, Indradan, announced his intention on the exchange floor yesterday, hardened bulls and bears broke into tears.

Jains are extreme believers in non-violence in human and animal relations.

COLLISION IS FATAL
BEDFORD, May 15 (AP)—An auto collided with a trailer truck on the Pennsylvania turnpike at nearby Breezewood today, killing Lynn Gilmer, 27, of Cleveland.

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Ready to Work Hard For Demo Candidate, Truman Declares

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—President Truman said today he's ready to stump the country just as hard for this year's Democratic presidential candidate as he did in his own famous whistle stop campaign in 1948.

And he predicted the Democratic nominee will win on a platform of what he called "Trumanism" despite efforts of "The Mossbacks" to depict Administration farm and other measures as Socialism.

"All this talk about Socialism is just plain bunk and hokum," Truman told a crowd of several thousand at a Washington monument presentation of awards for achievement to some 140 Agriculture department employees.

The President declared the Roosevelt and Truman administrations have rescued the American farmer from poverty through a great crusade that has brought about "a real revolution—a peaceful revolution" in agriculture.

MORE THAN that, he said, the last two administrations have proved that a planned economy works "in agriculture and in every other aspect of our national life."

As for farmers, the President declared:

"I am one of them. As soon as I quit being President I am going back to the farm (near Independence and Grandview, Mo.)."

And he said: "We don't want a set of peasants in this country. We want land owners and people who can hold up their heads and talk to the bankers and industrialists as equals."

Truman started with a prepared speech congratulating the award winners but he frequently cast it aside and spoke with off-the-cuff vigor.

After scoffing at what he called the Mossbacks and their complaints of Socialism and regimentation, the President said:

"In 1948 I took a little trip of 31,700 miles, and I made 536 speeches, and I talked to 7 million people, and when the people found out what the facts were—you know what happened in 1948."

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Washington Children Enjoy Their May Pageant



Indians danced, children sang and little girls carrying bouquets of fresh flowers marched to a flower-covered throne at Washington school bicentennial May Day exercises yesterday in the Senior High school auditorium. Queen Linda Lawler (above photo—center) reigned over the ceremony. Attendants Shirley Kramer (left) and Peggy Fleming (right) flank the queen and flower girls Patty McGee (left) and Patty Plowfield (right) hold small baskets of flowers in front of the throne. Children danced through the bunny-hop in bottom photo.

Washington School Holds Colorful Pageant

On a throne of gold, with baskets of purple iris and white spirea at her feet, Queen Linda Lawler ruled over bicentennial May Day exercises of the Washington school yesterday.

More than 500 pupils and parents gathered for the program in the Senior High school auditorium at 1:30 o'clock.

The program included song by the assembly, skits by the respective grades, a procession of the queen and her court, a narrative on the founding of Pottstown 200 years ago and music by an elementary orchestra.

Queen Linda was attended by Penny Fleming, wearing a yellow gown, and Shirley Kramer, garbed in a pink gown. Flower girls were Patty Plowfield and Patty McGee.

THE QUEEN wore a long white organdy dress, had a crown of yellow daisies in her hair and wrist bouquet of yellow daisies. Her attendants carried arm bouquets, and flower girls carried tiny mixed bouquets of miniature flowers.

The throne was covered with gold and flowers formed a decorative ring around it.

The queen and her court were heralded onto the scene by trumpeters Lee Shaner and Harry Royer. Flag bearers were William Bohner and David Mauger.

Narrator Marielle Jamison told the story of John Pott's purchase of land at the mouth of the Manatawny in 1752, the beginning of Pottstown.

While he told the 2-century-old story, Indians danced in the background and Mr. and Mrs. John Potts and their children strolled onto the scene.

HARRY SEVERS, garbed in dark Quaker attire, played John Potts at the beginning of the exercise and concluded by singing "America the Beautiful." During the program pupils sang "Our Pottstown," a song written by Mrs. Bertha N. Maraffie, director of music in elementary schools and co-ordinator of programs in the six schools.

Playing in the orchestra were Brenda Moyer, Jean Neff, William Hampton Jr., Harry Royer and Lee Shaner, Washington school; Betty Jo Leventhal, Grace Rowland, Jane Yocom, Lewis F. Maraffie, Diane Richard, Linda Richard, Marilyn Maraffie and Daynor Reider, Rupert school.

Also, Charlaene Epp, Shirley Houck, Helen Kalis and Harold Bitler, Jefferson school.

Mothers in the Washington Parent-Teacher association helped prepare the throne and ready children for their respective parts.

The final May Day exercise will be conducted at 1:30 o'clock Monday on the Rupert school grounds.

Exercises have been presented at Lincoln, Jefferson, Franklin, Washington and St. Clair schools.

Wasp Sailor Said Orders Were to Watch for Planes

BAYONNE, N. J., May 15 (AP)—A sailor-lookout told a naval board of inquiry today word was passed on the Wasp to watch for planes, not ships, shortly before the flattop sunk the destroyer-minesweeper Hobson in a collision.

Seaman Nicholas Asaro of Ozone Park, N. Y., testified he spotted the onrushing Hobson while watching a plane and sounded an alarm just before the Wasp slashed into the Hobson, sinking her and causing the death of 176 of her 237-man crew.

The word "cattle" formerly meant any form of property and was similar in meaning to "chatel."

Revival Is Enjoyed In Square Dancing

ALBUQUERQUE, May 15 (AP)—Cowboys from Minnesota and cowgirls from the Bronx are taking up the old southwestern practice of do-si-do and promenade. Square dancing is enjoying a new boom with a strictly Western flavor.

Dozens of square dance clubs with hundreds of members have started in Albuquerque since the government imported thousands of workers and service men to the Sandia Atomic Weapons base and Kirtland Air Force base.

Square dancing as formerly done in the East was a slow dance with a set pattern and grace to burn.

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Einstein Answers Problem With Another Problem

HOLLYWOOD, May 15 (AP)—Dr. Albert Einstein has the thanks of the Sophomore geometry class of the Westlake school. The eminent scientist responded to its call for help in solving a problem that had stumped it.

He replied by return air mail, enclosing a diagram of the problem sketched on the back of her letter, and signed it "A. E." His sketch indicated the manner of solution but did not give the explicit answer.

The problem? "The common external tangent of two tangent circles of radii 8 and 2 inches is?" Some details of Dr. Einstein's diagram were a cut above the heads of the Sophomore class. Their best judgment as to the correct answer, however, was 8 inches.

Speed Record Hopes Rise on New U. S. Ship

ABOARD S. S. UNITED STATES, May 15 (AP)—Vice Adm. E. C. Cochrane said tonight "we are surer than ever now" that America's new sea queen will prove herself the fastest passenger ship afloat.

Cochrane made the prediction after the 52,000-ton luxury vessel exceeded 30 knots during eight hours of speed trials in which the ship bucked 35 MPH winds with gusts up to 55 miles an hour.

Britain's Queen Mary holds the record, set in 1938, with 31-plus knots.

Cochrane, U. S. maritime administrator, said two over-heated reduction gear bearings balked an attempt to crack the present speed record.

Taft Gets Two More Missouri GOP Delegates

KIRKSVILLE, Mo., May 15 (AP)—Sen. Robert A. Taft, of Ohio, added two more of Missouri's 26 Republican presidential delegates today to run his total to five against 17 for Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Taft picked up the delegates at the State's final GOP convention. Eisenhower forces claim the four other votes.

Both of the delegates selected in a stormy first district congressional convention said flatly they would support Taft.

Voting was delayed while the opposing Taft-Eisenhower forces fought for more than an hour over procedure.

Truman May Travel As Delegate - Mo. Demos

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 15 (AP)—Missouri Democratic leaders said today that President Truman probably will be a delegate from his home State to the party's national convention.

The President can go to the Chicago meeting as a delegate at large and as chairman of the Missouri delegation if he wishes, the leaders said.

Peru Plans to Prosecute Editors for Offending U. S.

LIMA, Peru, May 15 (AP)—The Peruvian government today asked the court of appeals to prosecute the editors of the tabloid Ultima Hora for offending the United States.

The case arises from Peru's recent note to the U. S. protesting a proposed U. S. duty of three cents a pound on imported tuna fish. Foreign Minister Manuel Gallegos, in the note, claimed the duty would wreck the Peruvian fishing industry.

Ultima Hora headlined the story: "Gallagher lashed United States."

Agents Report Arrests in Army Shirt Thefts

WILKES-BARRE, May 15 (AP)—FBI agents today reported the arrest of 10 men and a woman in the theft of \$2400 worth of new type Army shirts from the Woodbury Manufacturing company where all 11 are employed.

Agent Arthur Cornelius Jr. said the shirts, valued at \$12 each, were of a new type olive drab wool "made of critical material" and not yet issued for field use. The FBI was called in to investigate when shirts were reported missing from the plant the past October, Cornelius said.

All of those arrested live in or near Wilkes-Barre. They were arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Thomas J. Gibbons on charges of theft of Government property and receiving stolen goods.

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Club Will Hear Executive Talk On Productivity

H. Thomas Hallowell Jr., president of Standard Pressed Steel company, Philadelphia, will speak on "Increasing Productivity" this evening at the Executives' and Foremen's Club of Pottstown and vicinity meeting.

The club will meet at a "Stanley G. Flagg night" dinner meeting at 6:30 p. m. at the Pottstown YMCA. Two hundred persons are expected to attend.

Hallowell started working for Standard Pressed Steel 25 years ago as a machine operator.

An advocate of modern management practices and the holder of numerous patents on original mechanical ideas, Hallowell will cover the topics of improved employee selection and training, job rating, merit rating, production control, engineering research and modern cost and financial control.

IN ADDITION to being president of Standard Pressed Steel, Hallowell is a member of the board of directors of Jenkintown Bank and Trust company, Pennsylvania Manufacturers' association, Montgomery County Manufacturers' association, and of the Greater Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce.

He is also a trustee for Pennsylvania State college.

Part of tonight's program will be the acceptance of at least 20 new members into the club.

Speaker



H. THOMAS HALLOWELL JR.

CLEAN-UP DRIVE —

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Pottstown physician.

Workers of the highway department of the borough will turn on fire plugs the same day and scrub down High street as part of the sanitation program.

Wednesday will be repair and paint day and local stores will show their interest in the campaign by selling paints and materials to be used in repair work at discounts.

The "eyesore" committee will go to work on Thursday in expediting the cleaning up of vacant lots and yards.

THE COMMITTEE will tour the town and find the owners of lots badly in need of cleaning and ask the owners to cooperate.

For lots which owners will not claim, Pottstown's Boy Scouts of Troop 4 will pitch in to make them more presentable.

As a reward for the scouts' efforts, prizes will be awarded for the best jobs done under the direction of Richard Dutcher, executive director of the Boy Scouts in Pottstown.

There is no program planned for Friday, May 30, Memorial Day.

Ralph Spare, secretary of the Pottstown Chamber of Commerce, has asked the borough permission to build a rock garden on a diamond-shaped piece of land at the junction of York and East streets and Farmington avenue.

He says the land is overgrown with weeds and is an eyesore which he would like to assume the responsibility of correcting.

Dr. George A. McCormick, superintendent of Pottstown schools, has volunteered to assist in the education of the school children in cleanliness and its necessity.

OIL ACCORD REACHED

BEIRUT, Lebanon, May 15 (AP)—The Iraq Petroleum company signed a new agreement with the Lebanon Government today.

OIL STRIKE —

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and union negotiators in a score of key disputes, seeking agreement on wage hikes up to 15 cents an hour. The Wage Stabilization board yesterday set a wage boost ceiling of that amount for virtually all new contracts in the industry.

Several tentative settlements were reported today. One calling for the 15-cent figure was signed for 400 workers at the Globe Refinery company plant at Lemont, Ill. It was the first break in the Chicago area.

The Wage board, meanwhile, gave its approval to six negotiated agreements submitted to it in the past few weeks. It stuck to its 15-cent ceiling in all cases. None of the six disputes involved workers now on strike.

One touchy question — how much back-pay should be given — was a possible obstacle to quick settlement in some cases. The WSB did not rule on retroactivity. That will be considered by the WSB in individual cases as wage pacts are presented it for approval under stabilization rules.

Negotiations in such key concerns as Standard of Indiana, Gulf Oil, the Texas company, Magnolia Petroleum company and Phillips Petroleum were getting the closest Government attention. A large part of the output of these big companies is aviation fuel.

A Government official in position to know expressed belief the strike will have little or no effect on availability of motor gasoline, home heating oil and other major petroleum products this Summer and next Winter.

THE OFFICIAL, who declined to be quoted by name, told a reporter he based his opinion on the belief the strike will be essentially over by the middle of next week.

He emphasized he did not include aviation gasoline in his remarks.

As for the strike picture, another top Government labor official who asked not to be named told newsmen: "We know of nothing to hold up settlements" throughout the industry.

Last night leaders of more than 20 unions which joined forces in the strike agreed to accept the 15-cent ceiling and called for the new negotiations on the basis of the WSB formula—reluctantly, they said. They had sought 25 cents.

The WSB specifically ruled yesterday on a small concern in Billings, Mont., which has 137 employees. It cut 3 cents off the 18-cent wage boost which had been agreed to by the company and the union.

IN INDUSTRY'S major concerns were reported studying the Billings contract in minute detail. The Billings employees got back-pay only to May 1, plus a lump sum of \$100. Their old contract had expired the past Oct. 15.

The oil industry traditionally bargains on a local basis, and one possible delay in a quick end to the strike might arise from the fact there are hundreds of local bargaining units throughout the industry. Agreements must be reached in all bargaining units before the strike is entirely ended.

Out of an estimated total of 300 refineries, 47 producing more than 30 percent of the nation's oil production are shut down.

The strike has also affected work in the oil fields and on pipe lines.

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"Thereafter, the board will then be in a position to investigate the verity of the complaint and be in a position to give the said teacher the legal detailed written statement of the charges, as provided for in the aforesaid Acts of Assembly, and at the same time the board will then give the said teacher the notice by registered mail of the time and place of the hearing before the board of school directors, at which hearing the testimony of the complainants and their witnesses, and the testimony of the accused teacher and her witnesses, will be recorded by a competent, disinterested, public stenographer whose services shall be furnished by the school district at its expense."

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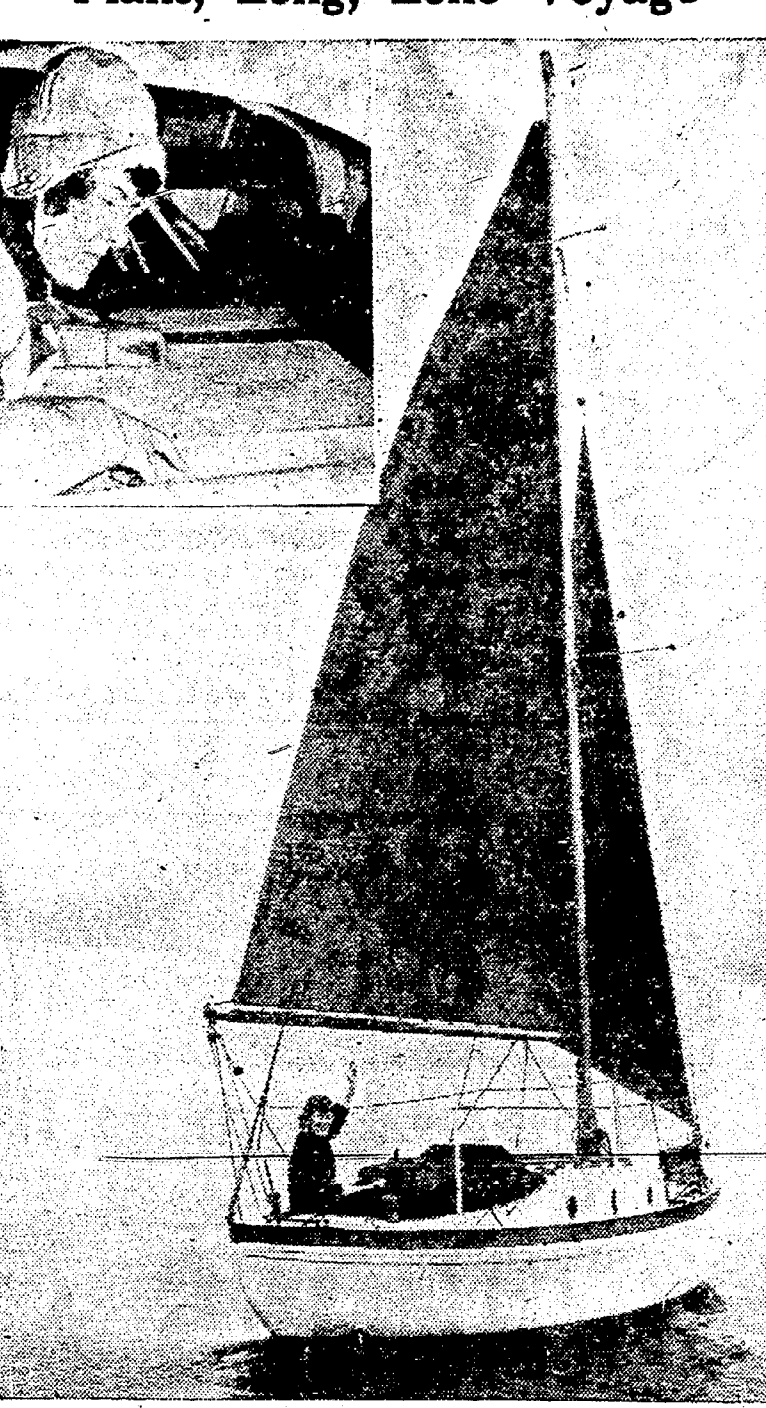
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"Not everyone is going to give," he warned the workers, "but there are enough good citizens in this town to support this worthwhile project."

"What they give you for this, they are giving in their own way to themselves."

THE ALLENTOWN attorney spoke after Edward J. Sweeney, association president, introduced the officers and directors of the group who were present. William F. Lamb Sr., who, with Nicholas Palladino, is co-chairman of the fund raising committee, acted as master of ceremonies.

Assignments for the workers were made by Palladino before the close of the session.

The Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor of the First Baptist church, gave the invocation. Entertainment was provided by Freda Schlinder, contralto soloist, and Wilma Kummerer, piano accompanist, from the Pottstown band.

They were introduced by William F. Lamb Jr., band director.

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Home



Johnny comes marching home again—to the Bronx, New York, and gets a warm welcome from dad, Sam Arzoo-mian, after carefully planned invasion of the Pentagon was blocked by unmilitary policemen. The 13-year-old youngster, sent to the bank with a \$200 deposit by his father, purchased complete military regalia, including rifle, bayonet, knapsack, and dagger. His ambition—to be a general.

SURVEY FUNDS SOUGHT

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Car Enthusiasts Add 'Shot Rod' to Vocabulary

LONG BEACH, Calif., May 15 (AP)—Hopped-up car enthusiasts have added a new word to their peculiar vocabulary of engine talk.

It's "shot rod," not to be confused with "hot rod," which is a car with a specially built engine and a smooth exterior. "Shot rod" applies to a clanking piece of junk bent on forcing other motorists off the road.

"Shot rod" drivers are looked on with disdain by the "hot rod"ers who gradually have become safety conscious during the past five years.

FIRE NEAR READING LEAVES FAMILY HOMELESS

READING, May 15 (AP)—Fire destroyed a two-story garage and apartment building at nearby Leesport today, leaving a family of 12 homeless.

Damage was estimated at \$22,000 by Fire Chief Fred Huff. Adam Stamm was at work in his garage when the blaze started in the family's second floor living quarters. Stamm's wife and 10 children were not at home.

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Burma Chickens Need Vitamin Pills to Survive

ROME, May 15 (AP)—Chickens in Burma need vitamin pills to survive, a United Nations expert says.

Ian W. Kelton, Food and Agricultural Organization veterinarian, has found that the high mortality rate among fowl in that country and a generally run-down condition among survivors are due to a lack of vitamin content in the poultry diet.

He said that "it appears that fear of contagious diseases and of parasitic infestation keeps the birds in small runs which contain no natural feedstuff." The birds should spread out and forage for food.


LAND DECREE SET

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Daughter of a widowed English war bride, Naomi Estes Cannons, 4, a polio victim, leaves a plane in New York, after flying with her mother from London. Naomi is in the United States for treatment by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis in California. The girl and her mother left for Los Angeles, home town of Naomi's father, a World War II veteran, killed in auto crash.

Tax Relief Voted for Legislators

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—The House voted tax relief to all members of Congress today. An internal revenue official said the plan would permit the lawmakers, in figuring their income tax, to deduct all expenses while in Washington.

The amendment was offered by Rev. McCormack, of Massachusetts, the Democratic leader in the House who also will head his party's platform-drafting committee. The amendment was adopted without a record vote.

It provides that for taxable years starting after Dec. 31, the place of residence of a member of Congress in the state, district or territory he represents "shall be considered to be his home" for purposes of the Federal tax laws.

A quick query by reporters brought the internal revenue interpretation. The bureau spokesman said businessmen may now deduct business expenses incurred in Washington if they live elsewhere, but Congress members can't.

IN THE CASE of some congressmen who live in high-priced Washington hotels or apartments, the business deduction for that purpose alone could run into thousands. The deduction also would apply to the cost of food, transportation and other expenses while the member is attending sessions of Congress. Frequently Congress stays in session almost an entire year.

Congressmen now get a \$2500 tax-free expense account on top of their \$12,500 annual salary. However this exemption is to expire Jan. 1.

In another move to help congressmen, the House also voted to give its members up to \$900 annually for rental of office space in their home districts if free space can't be provided in Federal buildings back home. The cost of this proposal alone could exceed \$40,000 annually if all members took advantage of it.

Arches were used in building the Tigris-Euphrates valley as early as 4000 B. C.

Official Fired From U. N. Witness Tells Senators

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—A witness told Senate investigators today that a United Nations economist recently was fired after refusing to answer when asked by a grand jury if he was a member of a spy ring.

The testimony came from David Weintraub, director of the U. N. division of economic stability and development, and gave a glimpse into the secret proceedings of a New York grand jury.

Weintraub testified at a hearing of the Senate Internal Security subcommittee that Irving Kaplan, an economic affairs officer under him and a former United States Government employee, has been dismissed from his U. N. job as of May 29.

Lawyer Intimidated, House Probers Say

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—House investigators of the Justice department said today they had evidence a Government lawyer in the Anti-Trust division was "mentally horsewhipped" because he recommended prosecutions in unidentified cases.

The investigators did not say who did the horsewhipping, although they left the implication that other Government officials had done it.

Rep. Chelf (D-Ky) identified the lawyer as Ernest Branham who testified under oath for almost four hours behind closed doors yesterday.

He was one of eight Anti-Trust

Phone Hearing Put Off On Planned Increase

HARRISBURG, May 15 (AP)—An argument over reproduction cost testimony broke up a hearing today into a \$31,706,606 a year rate increase proposed by the Bell Telephone company of Pennsylvania.

Jay Eisenman, of Philadelphia, Public Utility commission hearing examiner, recessed the hearing until June to permit a revision of company testimony.

Eisenman acted after Anne X. Alpern, Pittsburgh city solicitor, objected to the company's use of a 12-month period in determining reproduction costs. The latter are used in determining whether rate increases are warranted.

The proposed boost would affect some two million Bell customers.

Famous German Actor Dies in Switzerland

ZURICH, Switzerland, May 15 (AP)—Albert Bassermann, well known German actor, died tonight shortly after arriving from the United States by plane. He was 85.

Bassermann suffered a heart attack soon after his plane landed at Kloten airport.

4 Lost as Tanker Burns After Collision In Delaware Canal

WILMINGTON, Del., May 15 (AP)—A tanker carrying 640,000 gallons of high octane gasoline burned and sank after a collision with another vessel early today in the Chesapeake and Delaware canal. Four missing crewmen went down with the ship, their captain said.

Capt. Roger Sears, 54, of Jackson Heights, L. I., escaped with five other crew members of the F. L. Hayes by jumping overboard. All were taken to Delaware hospital for treatment for shock or minor injuries.

A flaming torch for more than 12 hours after the crash, the 240-foot tanker sank partially across the heavily-traveled waterway. The Hayes' prow was nosed firmly into a mud-bank. Visible parts of the deck and superstructure, scorched and twisted by the fire, showed plainly that no-body could have survived aboard.

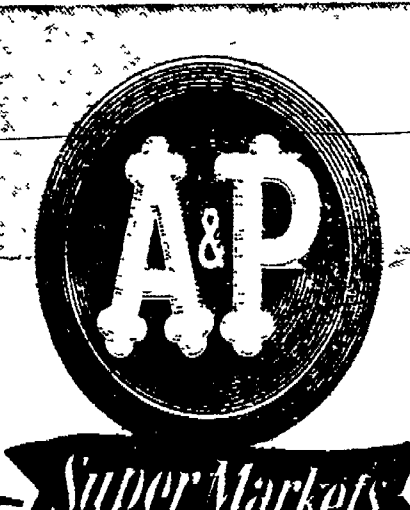
There was no immediate indication when it might be possible to resume ocean-going traffic through the 19-mile waterway across the Delmarva peninsula. The canal provides a shortcut for vessels traveling from Chesapeake bay to Delaware bay, between Baltimore and Philadelphia, New York and New England ports.

THE HAYES was westbound through the canal shortly after midnight. Captain Sears said he was waiting for the 6100-ton freighter Barbara Lykes, east-bound, to pass when the Lykes veered and struck the Hayes. Fire flashed quickly throughout the tanker. Sears turned her prow into the sandy canal bank, then jumped.

The Lykes completed passage through the canal, where it had no room to turn around or maneuver, anchored for a while in the Delaware river, then sailed for New York. Her owners, Lykes Bros., said they had received a report she was not seriously damaged, but that Capt. M. G. Wood, has not yet reported his version of what happened.

A third ship, the 6700-ton freighter Angelina, of the Bull line, was following the Lykes and was forced to pass close to the burning Hayes. One of a series of explosions that ripped the tanker threw burning gasoline onto the Angelina. Two crew members burned extinguishing a small fire, were treated at a hospital after the Angelina docked several hours later at Philadelphia.

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TRUMAN GETS BILL INCREASING MILITARY PAY

Congress Gives Okay
To 4 Percent Raise for
3 1/2 Million Personnel

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—A bill granting a 4 percent pay raise and 14 percent increase in living allowances to members of the military services was passed by House and Senate today and sent to President Truman.

If the President signs it before May 31, as he is expected to do, it will become effective with May payrolls. An estimated 3 1/2 million active and retired personnel are affected.

The House passed the bill by a roll-call vote of 333 to 0 and sent the bill to the Senate, which passed it without dissent with only six out of 96 senators present.

The bill finally approved today was a compromise version of varying bills previously passed by both the House and Senate.

The pay increases are estimated to cost 484 million dollars annually.

THE INCREASES apply to all uniformed personnel, including aviation cadets, students at Annapolis and West Point, and members of the Coast Guard and the Coast and Geodetic survey.

The raises are a flat 4 percent on base pay and approximately 14 percent on rental and food allowances normally paid to personnel with dependents.

They depend on an overall of \$3 monthly for privates and seamen with no allowances to \$65 monthly for top-ranking generals and admirals.

Since both the Senate and the House previously had passed separate bills providing pay hikes for service personnel, there was but little discussion in the House on compromise measure approved today.

Some members expressed regret that it omitted a Senate provision for \$15 extra monthly pay for veterans of the Korean fighting. House members refused to go along with the Senate provision and succeeded in eliminating it after giving assurances it would be considered as a separate bill.

Rep. Brooks (D-La), a champion of the combat pay provision, told the House it was unfair to give so-called hazard bonuses to men who serve in submarines or in airplanes and deny similar benefits to men fighting in Korea. He said he would insist on early action on a separate bill to take care of these men.

**Tito Tightens Grip
By Decree on Zone
In Trieste Territory**

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, May 15 (AP)—Premier Marshal Tito's Government abruptly tightened its grip on Trieste's Zone B by decree today, less than a week after the United States and Britain granted Italy broad administrative powers in the zone.

The Yugoslavs stopped just short of formal annexation of Zone B, which they occupy under the Italian peace treaty of 1947. Deputy Foreign Minister Leo Despot hinted other measures in this country's interests would follow.

Acting on instructions from Belgrade, the Yugoslav military commander issued decrees:

1—Removing travel restrictions inside Yugoslavia for residents of Zone B.

2—Abolishing the Istrian Regional People's committee, which has been the civil government of the zone, and transferring its powers to the people's committees of two districts, Kopar and Buje.

3—Giving the Yugoslav Federal bank control over all financial affairs in the zone.

Under the new setup, the military commander is to have a civilian political adviser named by the Government.

ON THE BASIS of their populations, the Kopar district is to have a separate political adviser from the Yugoslav Republic of Slovenia and the Buje district is to have one from Croatia.

Tito declared Sunday that Yugoslavia was prepared to take measures necessary to protect this country's interests in Zone B as the result of the understanding reached by U. S., Britain and Italian negotiators in London May 9.

That understanding gave Italy a bigger voice in the rule of the adjoining zone, occupied by U. S. and British troops.

His Government denounced the understanding in notes to the United States and Britain as illegal and a blow at Yugoslav rights in the 320-square-mile free territory, for which Italy and Yugoslavia are rival claimants.

In explaining the Zone B developments at a news conference, Mates said: "I don't think that the statement of the premier (about protective measures) should be limited to these three decrees."

The deputy foreign minister was asked whether Yugoslavia was as a result of the London understanding. He avoided a direct answer, but said with a smile: "It would be quite incredible if I should say no."

Oregon Primary Is Set Today

PORTLAND, Ore., May 15 (AP)—Oregon presents Estes Kefauver of Tennessee against two reluctant candidates. Supreme court Justice William O. Douglas and Gov. Adlai Stevenson of Illinois, have urged the voters to ignore them.

The forecast: Sunny, 72-degree conditions. It encouraged official estimates of a record 60 percent response by the 778,000 voters. Polls will be open from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. (PDT).

An energetic campaign in his behalf established Dwight D. Eisenhower as the man to beat in the Republican preferential election. Sen Robert A. Taft of Ohio by-passed the Oregon race for 18 delegates, but Eisenhower supporters contend eight unhoped delegate candidates favor Taft.

The Democratic run for 12 del-

THE VOTERS also will hand out party nominations for four seats in Congress being sought by 11 Republicans, including three of the incumbents, and seven Democrats.

Several office contests for State and local help will help out the vote. In Portland, for instance, Mayor Dorothy McCullough Lee, elected on a clean government platform in 1948, faces strong opposition from City Commissioner Fred L. Peterson and a runoff is predicted.

David O'Hara, deputy secre-

a state-wide 65 percent Republican vote and slightly more than 50 percent Democratic. This would add up to more than 450,000 votes.

An Associated Press survey the past week pointed to a vote of 61 percent for Eisenhower on the Republican ticket; a little better than 16 percent for Gov. Earl Warren of California and slightly under 16 percent for Sen. Taft—the last on the strength of write-ins.

OTHERS ON the GOP ballot are: Sen. Douglas MacArthur and Wayne Morse of Oregon, who have said they are not candidates; former Gov. Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota; and William R. Schneider, St. Louis attorney.

The AP survey gave Kefauver 71.6 percent compared with 18.1 for Stevenson and 10 for Douglas.

Trade Unionists Asked To Cease Wage Claims

LONDON, May 15 (AP)—Buttler of the Exchequer R. A. Butler appealed to Britain's trade unionists today to desist from wage claims which threaten to snarl Britain's economic recovery.

Millions of organized workers in more than 33 key unions are pressing for wage hikes. If granted they would cost this nation several billions of dollars a year.

Butler called leading trade unionists together today and told them if wages are pushed up they will give a most powerful impetus to rising prices.

He suggested employers and trade unions get together to consider the whole wages-prices situation and make recommendations to the Government. Trade union reaction was not immediately available.

Some earthquakes in the Mississippi Valley have followed heavy floods.

Physical Therapy Helping Veterans, Rotarians Are Told

Physical therapy has reduced the time loss in industrial accidents 25 percent and played a major role in fitting wounded Army veterans for a useful life, Major Olena M. Cole, chief of the physical therapy section of Valley Forge Army hospital, told Pottstown Rotarians last night.

Major Cole spoke to the group at its meeting in the Elks home.

Physical therapy, she explained, is the use of physical agents to help cure a patient. The three chief agents used by the therapist are heat, electrical treatment and massage.

The therapists, who are members of the Women's Medical Specialty corps, work with amputees to teach them what muscles said tonight prospects are good to exercise and build up before they are fitted with an artificial

limb. She explained the procedures followed to relieve stiffness and the exercises which loosen injured joints.

A GRADUATE of MacMurray college, Jacksonville, Ill., Major Cole has a master's degree from the University of Wisconsin. She is a veteran of 14 years' Army service, having served three years in Europe with the Fifth General hospital during World War II.

She outlined the early beginnings of physical therapy prior to World War I and told members of the club there were some 1400 therapists just before World War II. The Army now is training more women for the work.

Willard L. Kline, president, was in charge of the meeting. Major Cole was introduced by Karl Schumacher, program chairman.

DETROIT, May 15 (AP)—Supporters of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower said tonight prospects are good that he will make a major speech here June 14.

South Africa Gags Debate, Okays Bill

CAPETOWN, South Africa, May 15 (AP)—The Nationalist Government, smarting under charges that it uses Hitler tactics, gagged debate in Parliament today and then passed its controversial court by-passing bill to victory.

The vote was 82 to 57 and was regarded as a smashing triumph for the white-supremacy forces of Prime Minister D. F. Malan.

This bill would set up a high court of parliament above the present judiciary to decide on constitutional questions.

Observers said the Government was getting the worst of the argument when the Government ended opposition sniping by invoking closure. It came halfway through the third and last reading of the bill in the house of assembly.

The bill goes to the Senate next week.

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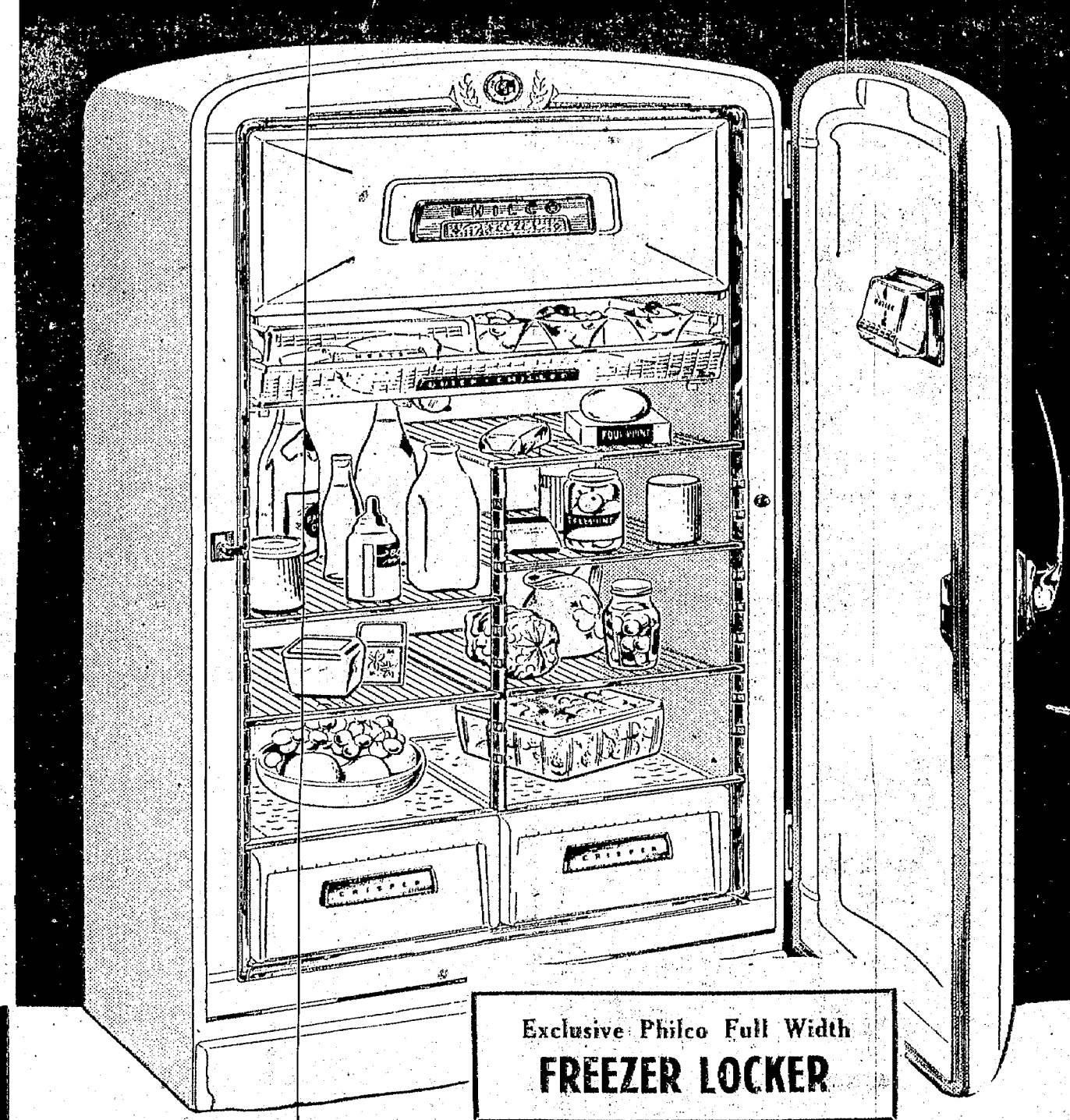
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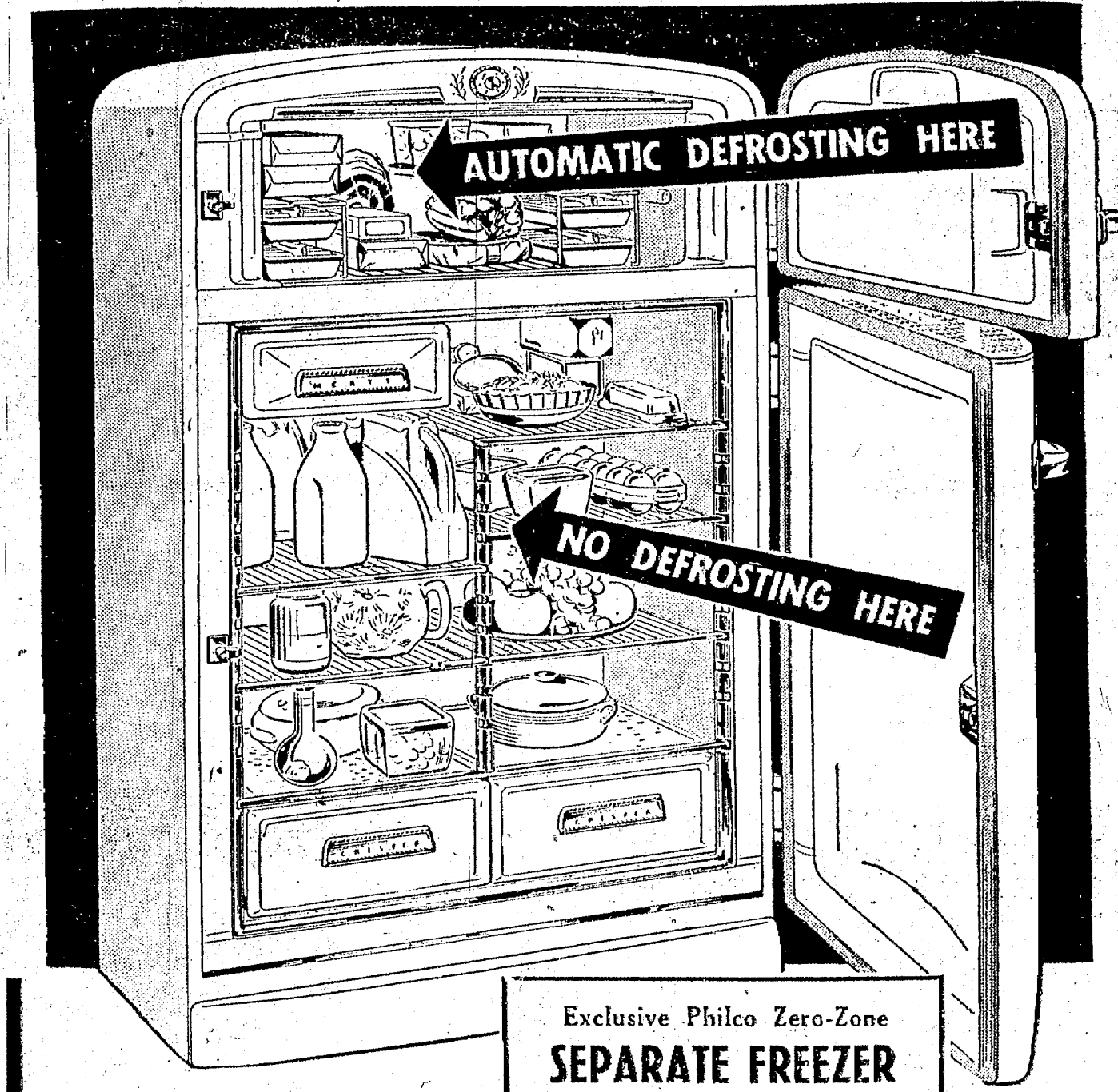
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CONGRESS ASKS FULL STORY ON KOJE INCIDENT

Lawmakers Denounce
Handling by U. S. Army,
Query Pace on Facts

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—Army Secretary Frank Pace Jr., went on the carpet behind closed doors on Capitol Hill today as angry demands erupted in Congress that the Pentagon disclose the full, true story behind the Communist prisoner-of-war revolt in Korea.

Lawmakers in both branches of Congress denounced the incident in such terms as "disgraceful," "shameful" and "monumental blunder."

In the House, Rep. Mansfield (D-Mont) demanded an immediate investigation by the House Armed Services committee.

In the Senate, Senator Bridges (R-NH) said the Senate Preparedness "Watchdog" subcommittee will conduct an inquiry, but Chairman Lyndon B. Johnson (D-Tex) indicated to newsmen that the group does not plan a formal hearing.

Johnson said Pace had promised to make available "the complete reports and all the facts" in the incident.

A member of the Senate Armed Services committee, which questioned Pace for about 30 minutes, said Pace told the committee that "the full facts and story about Koje have not been made public."

CHAIRMAN Johnson said Pace "promised to keep us informed on all developments."

Otherwise, committee members were close-mouthed about the questions fired at Pace or anything about his answers.

Senate and House members alike were deeply disturbed and angry over the blow to U. S. prestige resulting from the POW camp incident which involved the forcible seizure of Brig. Gen. Francis T. Dodd, the camp commandant, and concessions from Brig. Gen. Charles Colson to gain the release of Dodd.

Dodd and Colson, who took over as commandant while Dodd was held captive by the Communist prisoners at the Koje island camp, have both been relieved by Gen. Mark Clark, the new far Pacific commander-in-chief.

Bridges told the Senate that the Koje episode was "a disgraceful affair" and was being exploited by the Communists in world-wide propaganda.

THE NEW Hampshire senator praised General Clark's action in repudiating the POW-dictated concessions, wrung from Colson while they held Dodd as a hostage under threat of death.

Bridges also said Secretary Pace had taken a "forthright stand" on Clark's action in relieving the two generals of their command on Koje.

In the House, Rep. Mansfield introduced a bill calling for a full inquiry, and he told his colleagues in a speech: "In the light of the disgraceful events which have occurred at the Koje prison camp these past several days, I sincerely doubt that American people will be able to sleep soundly in the confidence that their protection is being adequately provided for by our military leaders."

"These shameful occurrences demand an immediate investigation by the Congress."

"The true story behind the revolt must not be concealed from the American people any longer."

Greek Police Disperse Rioters



On the double go scores of Greek students as Athens police pursue them with nightsticks. During a mass demonstration, prompted by a demand for the union of British-held Cyprus island and Greece, some 3000 students clashed with officers. The skirmishes occurred during the visit of Lord Halifax and Field Marshal Montgomery.

Around the Nation

4 Cops Convicted

NEW YORK, May 15 (AP)—Four more crooked policemen were convicted today and fired on Bookie Harry Gross' story of a fabulous million dollar a year protection payoff.

The firing today brought to five the number of cops thrown off the force as a result of the recent trial. Thirteen others are awaiting trial May 26.

Vacations Asked
WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—Mass requests for immediate vacation leave by 600,000 organized Government workers were proposed today by the AFL Government Employees Council.

The purpose would be to protest a move in Congress which would restrict the accumulation of vacation time from one year to the next. AFL officials object to any suggestion that mass leaves would be a "strike" in effect.

Operations Halted

DALLAS, May 15 (AP)—Gordon McLendon, president of Liberty Broadcasting, announced today that his network was suspending operations because of a "conspiracy" by the major leagues that denied him major league broadcasts—the life-blood of his network.

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U. S. Eases Rules On Some Building

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—The Government today lifted controls that if serious strikes occur, or the on four metals, eased its ban on amusement and recreation construction, and gave out word that price ceilings on raw cotton and liquor are about to be suspended.

Dairymen went before Congress to ask that it take price controls off milk and milk products, but that it retain curbs on the amount of foreign cheese and fats which may be imported.

These were the developments: Cotton—An Office of Price Stabilization official told a reporter that an order ready for approval within a matter of hours would suspend price ceilings on raw cotton, as Southern members of Congress have been urging, and one or two other commodities.

It was reported these would include textiles made of cotton, wool and some synthetic fibers but not other types of wearing apparel. Raw cotton price have been subject to price ceilings since March 1951, but market prices have been dropping below the ceiling of 45.76 cents a pound for white and extra white middling 15/16ths of an inch, a basic grade.

Liquor—Price controls on liquor probably will be lifted next week, OPS sources said, but the action is not expected to bring any rise in retail prices. Liquor sales have dropped off since Federal taxes were boosted the past Nov. 1, and distillers have perhaps record stocks on hand.

Officials said eight-year-old whiskey is being offered at wholesale in bulk for as little as \$4 a gallon before the Federal tax is paid, as compared with an OPS ceiling of \$9.50 a gallon.

Distillers just can't give the stuff away, one OPS official said. Building—The National Production Authority (NPA) ordered a relaxation effective July 1 of its ban on the building of amusement and recreation places. It also restored the right to use structural steel and aluminum to new houses, as of mid-year, and eased its restraints on construction of shops, stores and office buildings.

NPA administrator Henry H. Fowler said the demands of defense construction will be substantially reduced during the last half of this year.

Metals—NPA revoked outright its controls over lead, antimony, cadmium and bismuth.

FOWLER said, however, that many materials remain scarce and

some are getting scarcer. He said that if serious strikes occur, or the military picture changes for the worse, "our plans may have to change."

Milk—Charles W. Holman, secretary of the National Milk Producers Federation, told the House Banking committee that price controls inflict unnecessary hardships on producers and handlers of milk. He urged that Congress lift them, or, if it doesn't do that, extend them for no more than a year.

The committee is considering an extension of the Basic Controls act, now due to expire, June 30.

Holman also urged strongly Congress retain restrictions, which have been opposed by foreign countries and Administration sources, on importation of cheese, butter, non-fat milk solids and certain vegetable fats.

Rubber—the Senate Armed Services committee recommended a one-year extension of the synthetic rubber act beyond June 30, rather than the two-year extension already voted by the House.

Keynoter



GOV. PAUL A. DEVER

Demos. Pick Gov. Dever As Keynoter

CHICAGO, May 15 (AP)—Democrats today chose Gov. Paul A. Dever of Massachusetts to deliver the keynote speech at their national convention.

Rep. Sam Rayburn of Texas, speaker of the House, was picked to handle the gavel as permanent chairman—a role he filled in the 1948 nominating session.

Dever and Rayburn were agreed upon by the Democratic convention arrangements committee.

Gov. Dever, as temporary chairman, will make the keynote address—the lead-off speech in a round of oratory and action that will produce the party's nominees for president and vice president.

DEVER, 49, is an affable man of medium height who has a reputation as a fluent speaker. He has been the chief executive of his home state since 1949.

Dever and Rayburn are the only speechmakers definitely billed thus far. But others will be booked to appear before the delegates and a nationwide television audience before the program is completed.

Frank E. McKinney, chairman of the Democratic national committee, told newsmen he does not know if President Truman will speak at the convention, which starts July 21 in Chicago's International Amphitheater.

Truman was reported recently to have turned down a suggestion that he keynote the convention.

200,000 Sought For German Army

BONN, Germany, May 15 (AP)—The Bonn Government plans to organize 200,000 first line troops as the core of its contribution to a unified European army, authoritative German sources said tonight.

Recruiting of a 12-division force is expected to start early in 1953. Four armored, four mechanized and four infantry divisions are proposed, along with a tactical air force of 1200 or more planes that probably will include American type Sabre jets.

The Government's official bulletin said today there will be no old-style Prussian bullying in the West German army—to be created under a six-nation defense treaty initiated but not yet ratified.

"The new German officer corps must have the basic ideals of Western democracy," it said. "Never again will the spirit of German soldiers be broken by cruel discipline. There will be no more overtrained soldier automatons."

Only when on parade will officers and non-commissioned officers be superior to ordinary soldiers, it said, and off parade they will all be equals.

Authoritative sources said

about 80,000 service troops will support the combat men. The air force is expected to require 20,000 men and a baby navy will have some 30,000.

The navy will be equipped with minelayers and minesweepers, destroyers, patrol boats and perhaps one-man submarines to help protect the German coast and keep open supply lines in any future war.

Reports Made That Cominform Meets

VIENNA, Austria, May 15 (AP)—The reported absence of several leading Communists from Austria and from iron curtain countries gave weight today to rumors that the Cominform is meeting.

The rumors said the meeting is in Moscow and concerns Russia's plans for Germany.

Austrian Communist deputy Ernst Fischer has not been attending Parliament meetings and is reported away from Vienna.

Antonin Zapotocky, Red premier of Czechoslovakia, missed a cabinet meeting in Prague yesterday, according to reports here.

World News Briefs

President Re-elected

DUBLIN, Ireland, May 15 (AP)—President Sean O'Kelly of Ireland will be elected tomorrow for a second term of seven years. He will be 70 in August.

His re-election became automatic when his only prospective rival, Alderman Alfred Byrne, a Dublin independent member of parliament, withdrew tonight.

Germans Protest

DUSSELDORF, Germany, May 15 (AP)—More than 150,000 Germans stopped work temporarily today to demand union co-management in private and public industries.

Communists seized the moment to demonstrate against West German rearmament.

Peace Called For

PARIS, May 15 (AP)—The Bey of Tunis, acting at French request, today issued an appeal for calm in that turbulent North African protectorate where nationalists have been demonstrating against French rule.

The French foreign office said Resident-General Jean de Hautecloque had called on the Bey yesterday asking him to issue the appeal.

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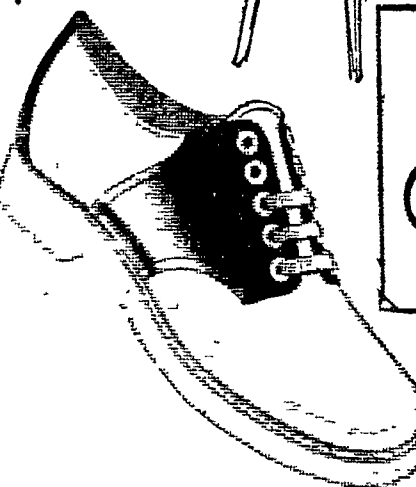
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Friday, May 16 — God's Building
Sunday, May 18 — The Three Fires (Gospel) 7:30
Monday, May 19 — The Brazen Altar
Tuesday, May 20 — The Brazen Laver
Wednesday, May 21 — The Hangings
Thursday, May 22 — The Curtains and Coverings
Sunday, May 25 — The Lampstand (Assembly Truth) 3:00 P.M.
Sunday, May 25 — The Foundation & Boards (Gospel) 7:30 P.M.
Monday, May 26 — The Table of Showbread
Tuesday, May 27 — The Golden Altar
Wednesday, May 28 — The Ark of the Covenant
Thursday, May 29 — The High Priest's Robes

All Meetings Are At 7:45
(unless listed differently)

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Village History And Restoration Told by Hugins

The history of Hopewell Village and the methods by which it is being restored as the nation's only historical monument to business and industry were related by Walter Hugins Jr., director of the park, at an American Business Club meeting last night.

Hugins said the restoration of the old iron and steel furnace, which was founded by Mark Bird, for whom Birdsboro was named, was completed by the U. S. Department of the Interior in 1940.

Originally, Hugins remarked, the iron smelted at the furnace had to be heated to 3000 degrees. This would be impossible now, he added, because the mortar used to restore the furnace was made of cement, while the actual mortar was made of limestone and other hard materials.

The 850-acre park is the site of the ironmaster's mansion and 40 other homes formerly occupied by laborers and employees of the furnace. All are expected to be restored in several years.

MOST OF the restoration work is being done in accordance with old records found in the attics of some of the homes and from old court records of the litigation involving the furnace. Five persons now are operating the village as an historical monument.

Thomas Brook, Hugins said, was iron master at the furnace from 1800 to 1883. The employees worked 12 hours a day, six days a week to keep the furnace in operation.

They paid an annual rent of \$20 for their homes and received much of their food and all of the wood they could use.

The furnace, which operated 24 hours a day, all week, was operated with charcoal. It took 10 days to three weeks for a cord of wood to be converted to charcoal and an acre of timber to operate the furnace for a single day.

A WINDMILL provided the draft for the furnace to obtain smelting heat.

William Hillegas, president, presided at the meeting which was attended by 31 members and one guest. A board of governors' meeting followed the regular session.

FARM STRIKE —

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Smith's driver that if they were organized he would not drive his truck through their picket lines.

It was then Faust telephoned Philadelphia to determine whether or not the workers' union applications put them into an organized category. He was told by a CIO official the workers were organized.

BEFORE THE STRIKE Mrs. Smith's drivers loaded their trucks at the slicing plant, but since the strike they have done so at the freezing plant, where bushels of sliced apples are stored.

About 15 of the workers picketed both the slicing and freezing plants.

Funk, whose apple and peach farm employs about 25 other workers in the freezing plant and around the farm, said he never had labor trouble before Wednesday.

Asked if the workers were considering any pay or working conditions demands, Faust said the Philadelphia organizer probably will outline tonight what the workers expect from their employer.

Vovercz was a Funk driver about six months.

One of the strikers is Armgard Shubert, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Shubert, German displaced persons, who with their four children have been on the farm a month under Funk's auspices.

Funk said Miss Shubert, who speaks little English, did not know what the strike was about and "is ready to go back to work." He said she only left the plant because everyone else did.

Low Bids Received For School Building

HARRISBURG, May 15 (AP) — The public school building authority received these unofficial low bids late yesterday for construction of an elementary school building in Decatur township, Mifflin county.

Emory L. Miller and son Shamokin, \$134,716, general construction; Herre Brothers, Harrisburg, \$20,828, heating and ventilation; D. E. McCoy, Lewistown, \$11,703, plumbing; and Lewistown Electrical company, Inc., Lewistown, \$7329, electrical.

Blast in Philippines Kills Nine Persons

MANILA, Friday, May 16 (AP) — The Philippine News Service today reported a dynamite explosion on Dahawon Island off Western Leyte, Thursday killed nine persons, destroyed 38 homes and left 250 persons homeless.

Cause of the explosion was not immediately known. The little island is populated by fishermen who reportedly have used dynamite for illegal fishing.



With Paris spread out beneath them, workmen move around scaffolding to put finishing touches to two new beacons on the Eiffel Tower

POSTMASTERSHIP —

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clared eligible by the U. S. Civil Service commission.

The commission could ask for a re-examination, in an effort to get a "full certificate" of three names, but this possibility seemed to be eliminated when John McAvoy, new Democratic county chairman, recently requested the borough party leaders to make a decision on Marquet.

Marquet, who has been acting postmaster since Feb. 27, 1951, said after he was notified of the recommendation yesterday: "It's really a happy birthday."

He said that when he took over the job, he welcomed the opportunity but wasn't certain how he would enjoy a job that was primarily desk work.

HIS PREVIOUS "desk-work" experience was limited to the administrative side of such jobs as president of Bethlehem Local 2177, United Steel Workers (CIO), and president of Pottstown Community Chest.

But, he said, "I've come to like the job very, very much."

In 1951, receipts of the borough post office were the highest in history. This year, they're running about even with the record-breaker.

Pottstown's postmaster has charge of 54 fulltime employees and is paid slightly more than \$5500.

Marquet celebrated the big birthday quietly. After a cake-with-candles dinner at home with his wife and their four children, he left for the postmasters' association meeting in Norristown.

His re-election was assured because he had been nominated without opposition.

MARQUET'S RECOMMENDATION filled the second of two long-standing vacancies in the Pottstown area. The past weekend, the name of Kenneth H. Drumheller was sent to the Senate for ratification as permanent postmaster of Sanatoga. Drumheller, too, has been acting postmaster.

Marquet is the third man in a row to get the permanent appointment after being named temporary postmaster the others were the late Ralph P. Holloway, who later became secretary of the school board, and Maurice E. Sassaman, whose death on Jan. 21, 1951, created the vacancy Marquet is filling.

Marquet will be only the 23d man to be permanent postmaster of Pottstown. The first was Jacob Barr, who took the job in "Pottsgrove" postoffice in 1793.

Of his intentions, Marquet said: "The post office and the postmaster are first of all public servants. We're here not so much as businessmen as to give the public of Pottstown the first-class service it deserves."

A native of Douglassville, Marquet has lived in Pottstown's Sixth ward since he was four years old.

He worked in Bethlehem Steel company's temple shop from 1935 until the past year, and was union president for five years, beginning in 1946.

Among his many activities are: Community Chest president, secretary of St. James Lutheran Sunday school, former Democratic borough campaign chairman and onetime candidate for county controller and State Assembly.

He's been married since 1939. His home is at 1131 Queen street.

Composite Picture Made Of N. C. Prison Inmate

RALEIGH, N. C., May 15 (AP) — The State Prisons department and the Paroles commission have drawn up a composite picture of North Carolina's average prison inmate.

He is almost 28 but has a mental age of 14. Mr. Average Prisoner stands 5 feet 9, is married, and dropped out of school after the Fifth grade. He is serving about five years and nine months for a crime committed in a small or rural community.

The figures also show that through out the State's prison system the number of white admissions is outnumbering Negro admissions. This is a reversal of pre-war trends and has caused Prisons Director Walter Anderson to state he must convert some of his Negro camps to camps for whites.

VERONA, Italy, May 15 (AP) — Italian operatic composer-conductor Italo Montemezzi, who lived many years in Beverly Hills, Calif., died tonight. He was 77.

British Landed Gentry Are Whittled in Half

LONDON, May 15 (AP) — British aristocrats who still own land have been whittled in half since the war according to "Burke's Landed Gentry," the "Who's Who" of British landowners.

In fact, the famous old directory has had to include a lot of "landless" gentry to fill the 2800 pages of its first postwar edition.

High taxes and austerity are to blame. Many of Britain's biggest estates once running into thousands of acres in size have been split up, sold or delivered to the state for taxes.

Fully half the 5000 blue-bloods now listed in Burke's haven't got any land at all. Others are lucky if they are still hanging on to their own backyard.

COMPOSER DIES

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Fisherman's Heaven Opens 19th Season

BELLEFONTE, May 16 (AP) — Thousands of trout enthusiasts lined the banks of nearby Spring creek as Pennsylvania's famed fisherman's paradise opened its gates for its 19th season.

Anglers began arriving at the State-owned project before midnight, but they had to wait until the official 8 a. m. (EST) opening.

Last year's opening day attendance reached 1766, but Fish commission officials expected that figure to be surpassed by tonight.

A spokesman said stream conditions were "fine" despite "a high water."

Court May Decide If Incumbent JPs May Raise Charges

HARRISBURG, May 15 (AP) — The State Superior court may be asked to rule on whether incumbent justices of the peace may collect higher fees authorized by the 1951 Legislature.

R. B. Maxwell, secretary-treasurer of the Pennsylvania Motor Federation, said the high court may be asked to rule on a recent decision of the Washington county court holding that only officials who took office since Jan. 7 are eligible to collect the new fees.

That was the date Gov. John S. Fine signed the bill affecting justices of the peace, aldermen and magistrates. Those appointed since then are automatically eligible for the increased fees.

The court decision cited a Constitutional provision which says, "No law shall extend the term of any public officer, or increase or diminish his salary after his election and appointment."

The Washington county decision jects for the General Assembly.

Permission Given To Change Crossing

HARRISBURG, May 16 (AP) — The State Highway department had permission today to alter a grade crossing where New York Central railroad tracks intersect the Ebensburg-Clearfield road in Bell township, Clearfield county.

The Public Utility commission, in approving the project, said a road improvement necessitates the grade crossing changes on State Route 62, including relocation and modernization of automatic flashing light signals.

The project, estimated to cost about 60 million dollars, was ordered completed Dec. 31, 1953.

SUBCOMMITTEES NAMED

HARRISBURG, May 15 (AP) — Three subcommittees were appointed today by the Joint State Government commission to study commercial and educational subjects for the General Assembly.

Group Claims Potato Black Market Increases

PHILADELPHIA, May 15 (AP) — The Philadelphia Hotel and Restaurant associations declared tonight there is a "growing black market" in potatoes and urged members to stop serving them to customers.

William H. Harned, president of the hotel group, said he is certain the 28 hotels which comprise the organization will join the potato-less meal movement.

"We intend to offer rice, macaroni, spaghetti, grits and extra vegetables to make up for the potatoes," he said.

Noting that OPS ceiling prices in most cases do not exceed \$5 a hundred pounds, Harned claimed black market operators are demanding "well over \$9."

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You're money ahead when you buy on these PLAIN HARD FACTS

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Stack up what you get for what you pay . . . and join the nation's largest group of truck users by choosing Chevrolet

By far the biggest number of truck users today are Chevrolet owners . . . and for good hard-headed reasons. Because what they're after in a truck can be set down about like this:

- 1) It's got to be low in cost. Chevrolet trucks have the lowest list prices.
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- 3) How well the truck does the job is all-important. Chevrolet trucks are factory-matched to the job.
- 4) The truck must be rugged, long lasting. Chevrolet trucks traditionally bring more at trade-in, for what they cost, than any other truck.

Come in and let's see how a Chevrolet truck can save money in your business.

Fact No. 1

Save money on purchase price: Stack up a Chevrolet truck against any other truck with comparable specifications, capable of handling the same payload. You'll find the Chevrolet truck lists for less . . . and brings you great truck features you won't find in many trucks costing much more.

Fact No. 2

Save money on operating costs: Truck users everywhere have proved to themselves that Chevrolet costs less to own and maintain. Valve-in-Head economy, in the Loadmaster or Thriftmaster engines, saves on gas. Special 4-way engine lubrication reduces wear, keeps oil costs low.

Fact No. 3

Save money on job efficiency: You don't waste money by buying "too much truck" — you don't risk work interruption or slow-downs by buying "too little truck." Frame, axles, springs, body, brakes, and power are part of a well-balanced team that does the job at lowest cost.

Fact No. 4

Save money on low depreciation: Records show that Chevrolet trucks traditionally bring more money at resale or trade-in time than any other make which costs about the same new. Here is further evidence that Chevrolet is the best truck buy — and that's why more truck users buy them!

CHEVROLET

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MORE CHEVROLET TRUCKS IN USE THAN ANY OTHER MAKE!

SPRED SATIN — CAN BE USED OVER

- Oil Base Paints
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- Spread Satin again and again if you like to change colors often.

Wallpaper can be hung over Spread Satin. No extra precaution. Just treat the surface as a new wall. Now available in 180 colors.

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'FREE' IS BANNED FROM BOOK ADS

FTC Calls Club Guilty Of Fake Advertising; Ruling to Be Appealed

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—The Federal Trade Commission today banned the word "free" in book-of-the-month club advertising, but one commissioner charged acidly that bureaucracy issued the edict just to feed its ego.

Further, Commissioner Lowell B. Mason said, the FTC called in "deadbeats" to prove its case; and threw Webster's dictionary out the window to make its own definition of "free."

Commission Chairman James M. Mead, writing for a three-man majority, said the book club is guilty of false and misleading advertising in describing as free the books it gives to members.

Mead said a free book must involve no charge or obligation—but in the club's plan you don't

get the "free" book unless you buy four others in a year.

IN NEW YORK the club, which distributes about 50,000 books a day, promptly announced it would appeal the ruling to Federal courts, basing its appeal on Mason's dissent. The ruling apparently would affect a half-dozen other book clubs which advertise similar free book plans.

As Commissioner Mason put it, things were going fine for years under commission rulings that it was all right to describe the book dividends as free. Mason added:

"Then in 1948 something happened. The urge to 'tell some one off' and to issue mandates is a hidden hunger. There were rumblings around the Federal Trade Commission that all was not well with the word free."

"People bought things to get something else free—a dangerous tendency liable to stimulate trade, alleviate unemployment and eradicate bankruptcy in the book business. Something had to be done to a merchandising plan that was selling millions of books and spreading education, culture and knowledge, along with a

not-unreasonable amount of tripe to the public.

"The answer to this well-being was, of course, for bureaucracy to promulgate an interpretation. There is nothing like a good promulgation to satisfy the emotion 'id' (ego) of a Government agency."

MASON WENT ON: "Out of the millions of satisfied customers, there must be some who would testify that the word 'free' misled them. A recess was taken by the prosecution for four months."

"During this breathing spell the Government got hold of all the deadbeats who owed the book club money—that choice 98 hundredths of one percent of defendants' customers who would be the last called if the Government ever wanted anyone to make a dispassionate and just analysis."

"Out of this cull, the Government was able to distill 13 defaulters whose virtuous regard for truth and veracity was undoubtedly only exceeded by their financial integrity. Without leading their testimony, you can assume they agreed with the commission's definition of the word

'free' one hundred and ten percent, whether they understood it or not."

Mead, in the majority opinion, charged that the use of the word "free" in the club's advertising is false and "a statement in an advertisement which is totally false cannot be qualified or modified."

"The word 'free' is a lure. It is the bait. It is a powerful magnet that draws the best of us against our will 'to get something for nothing.'"

Railroad Jobless Benefits Increased in New Bill

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—President Truman today signed legislation increasing railroad unemployment insurance benefits.

It would set up a new scale of payments running from \$3 a day to \$7.50 for unemployed railroad workers. The present scale starts at \$1.75 and goes to \$5.

Sponsors of the measure said a boost was needed to meet increases in the cost of living. They also contended it would not require any increase in contributions from the railroads, at least for several years.

Six Senators Join In Fresh Assaults On Immigration Bill

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—Six senators joined today in fresh attacks on the McCarran Immigration bill, but they failed to force a vote on whether it should be returned to the Judiciary committee for reconsideration.

Senator Lehman (D-NY) called the bill "an abomination full of booby traps," while Senator Humphrey (D-Minn) complained that supporters of the measure were "giving us the silent treatment" and refusing to answer questions about it.

The bill is a comprehensive measure designed to recodify the immigration and naturalization laws and is the product of more than two years' work by the Judiciary committee. Senator McCarran (D-Nev) said it would serve to preserve the American way of life.

Senator Moody (D-Mich) joined the opposition today with the argument that although the bill pur-

ports to overhaul the immigration laws it actually adds 20 new grounds for deportation and 13 new grounds for restricting immigration.

Humphrey asked that the bill be recommitted, but attempts of majority-leader McFarland, of Arizona, to get an agreement to vote tomorrow, Monday or Tuesday were blocked.

Humphrey then resumed the long debate on the measure.

Senator McMahon (D-Conn) contended it would intensify racial discrimination and undermine civil liberties. Senator Pastore (D-RI) declared powers the bill would give the attorney general over aliens would lead to "gestapo tactics."

Reading Decides to Add Fluoride to Water Supply

READING, May 15 (AP)—City council yesterday decided to add to the chemical, fluoride, to the city's water supply to reduce dental decay in children's teeth despite the objections of a Reading school director and his wife. The vote was 3-2.

Rieve May Fight Move by Baldanzi

PHILADELPHIA, May 15 (AP)—Emil Rieve, president of the CIO-Textile Workers union, warned today he will fight, perhaps in the courts, a reported move by George Baldanzi, former union executive vice president, to lead part of the CIO group into the ranks of the rival AFL United Textile Workers.

A feud between Rieve and Baldanzi has been simmering for years. It culminated in a showdown two weeks ago at the CIO union's Cleveland convention when Baldanzi and Rieve clashed as candidates for president. Rieve and his entire slate won handily.

Rieve, here as a CIO-Steelworkers convention speaker, told reporters he had heard Baldanzi was about to become an organizer for the AFL United Textile Workers.

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Fear of Korea Outcome Voiced by MacArthur

LANSING, Mich., May 15 (AP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur expressed tonight what he said was a growing fear the outcome of the Korean campaign will be a decision to "scuttle the Pacific." Addressing a joint convention of the Michigan legislature, MacArthur asked "And, if an uneasy 'cease fire' eventually does come in Korea, what then?"

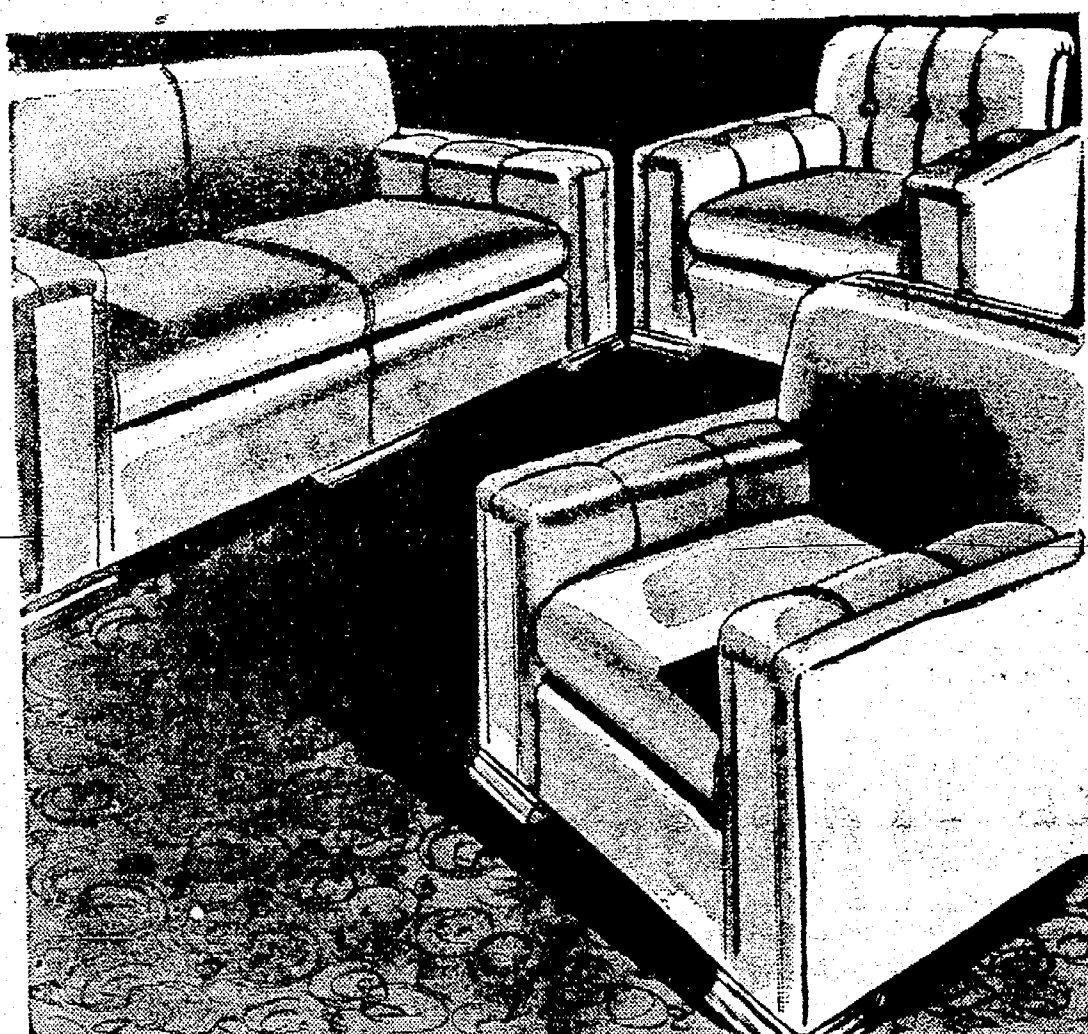
"No answer has been forthcoming," the general said, "but the dreadful fear is growing in many patriotic hearts that the decision will finally be 'scuttle the Pacific'—a yielding to the Iron Curtain of all of our traditional friends and alliances and the raw resources of that half of the globe so vital in the balance of world power."

KILLER'S TRIAL SET

READING, Eng., May 15 (AP)—John Straffen, 22, twice a child killer, was committed today for trial on a charge of strangling five-year-old Linda Bowyer the day he broke out of a prison for the criminal insane the past month.

Block's
(SINCE 1884)
POTTSTOWN

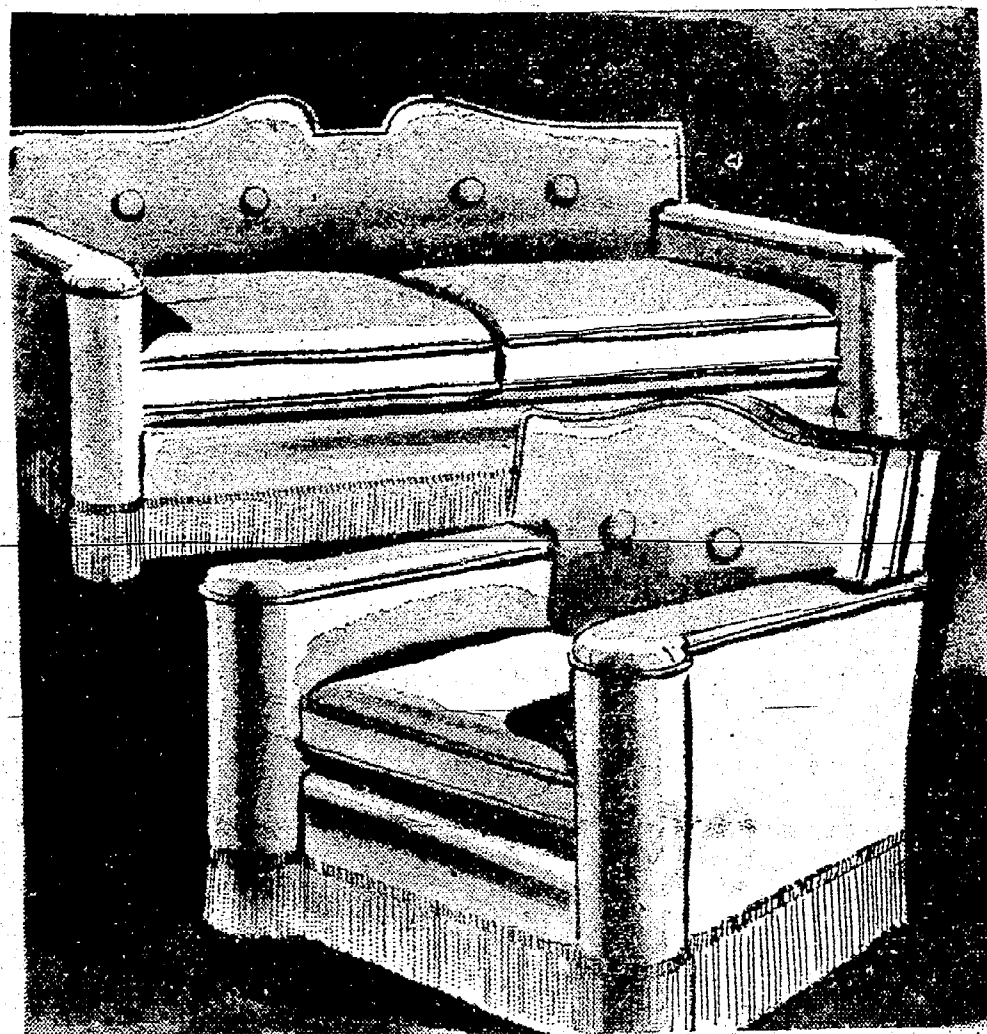
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3 Pc. Famous Make Living Room Group
You get sofa and two chairs. Excellent quality flat woven upholstery fabric. Sofa and chair in green, lounge chair in grey. Only 2 to sell. \$229 value. Liberal terms.

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\$130



2 Pc. LIPSTICK RED BOUCLE SUITE
New, popular shaped back. Sofa and chair fringed. Only 2 to sell. A \$259 value. Liberal terms.

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\$180



3-Pc. LIVING ROOM SUITE
Sofa and chair wine, lounge chair green—excellent quality flat woven fabric. Only 2 to sell. Liberal terms.

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\$160

MORE LIVING ROOM BARGAINS

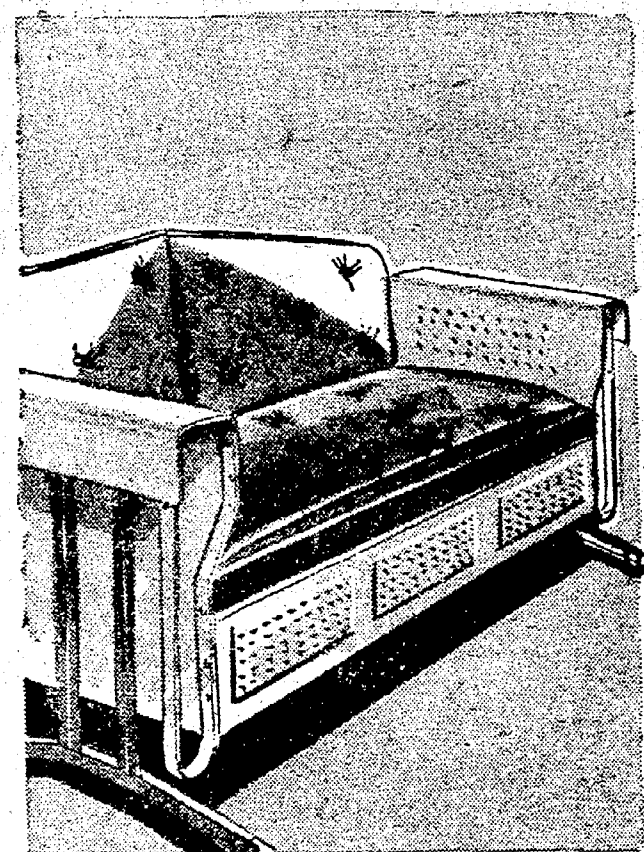
\$298—3 pc. Carved Boucle Living Room Suite. 2 pcs. blue, one rose. **Reduced to \$198**
\$298—3 Pc. Tapestry Living Room Suite. 2 Pcs. beige, one green. Fringe trim. **Reduced to \$198**
\$329—3 Pc. Carved Boucle Living Room Suite. 2 Pcs. green, one grey. Fringe trim. **Reduced to \$298**
\$319—2 Pc. Living Room Suite. Green and red, fringe trim, tapestry. **Reduced to \$249**

MORE LIVING ROOM BARGAINS

\$198—3 Pc. Living Room Suite. 2 Pcs. rose, one blue. Durable flat woven fabric. **Reduced to \$159**
\$198—2 Pc. Living Room Suite. Sofa green, chair grey. Good quality tapestry. **Reduced to \$138**
\$189—3 Pc. Living Room Suite. Red and blue tapestry. **Reduced to \$119**
\$199—3 Pc. Living Room Suite. Red and grey tapestry. **Reduced to \$129**

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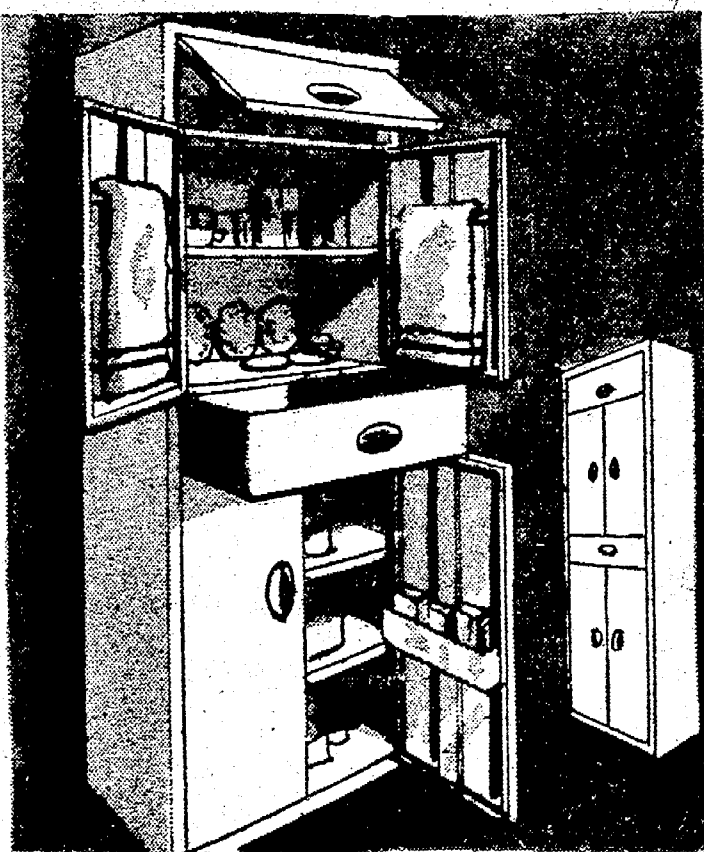
\$249—3 Pc. Boucle Living Room Suite. 2 Pcs. red, one grey. **Reduced to \$188**
\$319—3 Pc. Carved Boucle Living Room Suite. 2 Pcs. rose, one green. **Reduced to \$209**
\$298—3 Pc. Carved Boucle Living Room Suite. Green and grey. **Reduced to \$249**
\$259—3 Pc. Flat Woven Fabric Living Room Suite. 2 red, 1 green. **Reduced to \$189**
\$329—3 Pc. Carved Boucle Living Room Suite. **Reduced to \$249**
\$298—2 Pc. Chartreuse Fringe Trim Living Room Suite. **Reduced to \$249**



Famous BUNTING GLIDER
Complete with 2 pillow back and one-piece innerspring seat. Available in red, green or yellow.

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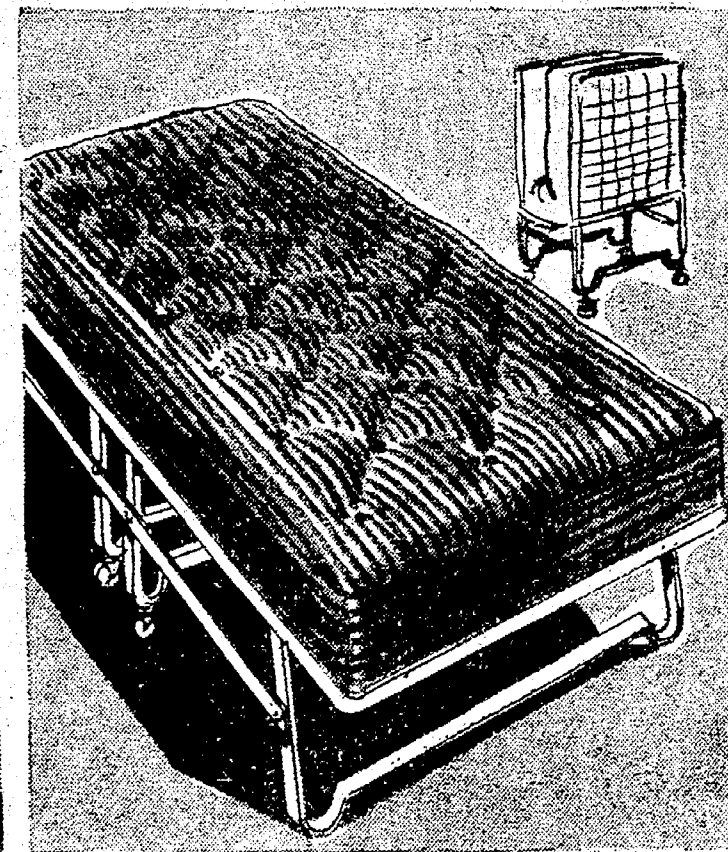


ALL-STEEL SPACE SAVER
34"x24"x12" Bed. Heavy gauge steel, baked on white enamel finish, chrome plated door pulls. Look at these features—Bread Box, 2 utility shelves with double doors, 2 towel racks, cutlery drawer, 2 large storage shelves with double doors, spice racks.

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\$19⁹²

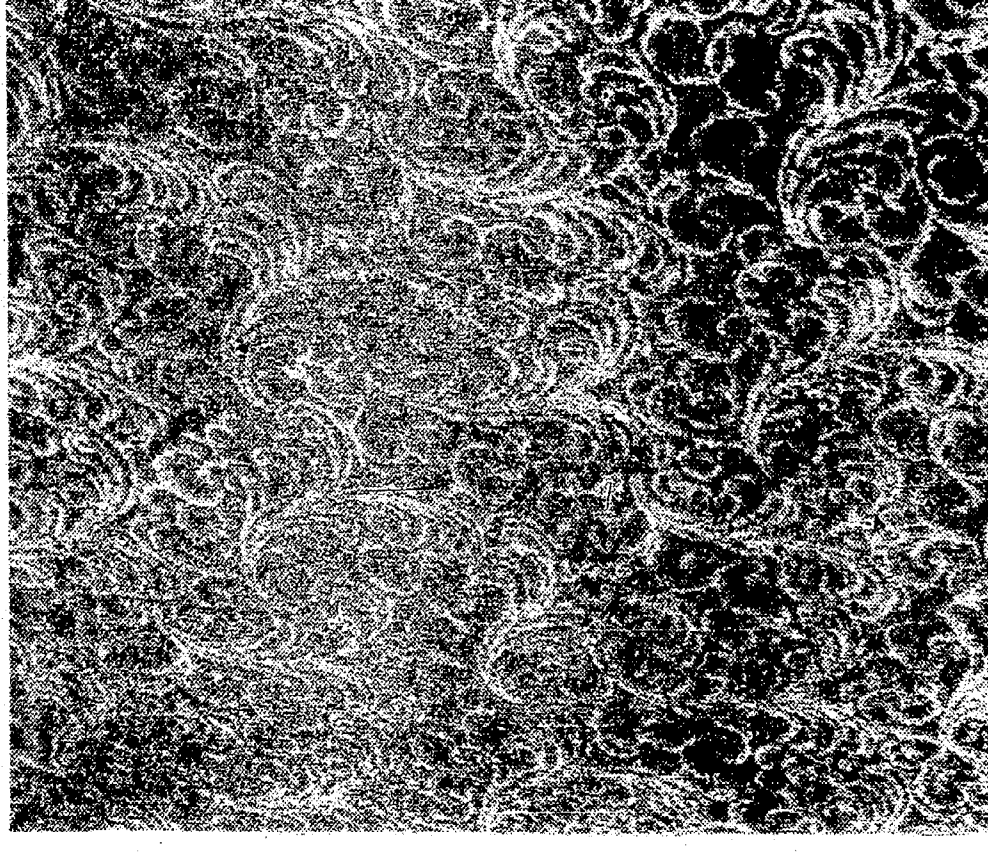
Mail and Phone Orders Accepted



\$34.95 STEEL ROLLAWAY COT WITH INNERSPRING MATTRESS
Heavy gauge steel frame, folds compactly and stores in any closet. Innerspring mattress with blue and white ticking.

REDUCED TO FOR BOTH

\$26



\$74.95 ROOM SIZE 9x12 BROADLOOM
Dense, rich-tufted pile. The maker copied the sculptured leaf and smart design of much higher priced rugs.

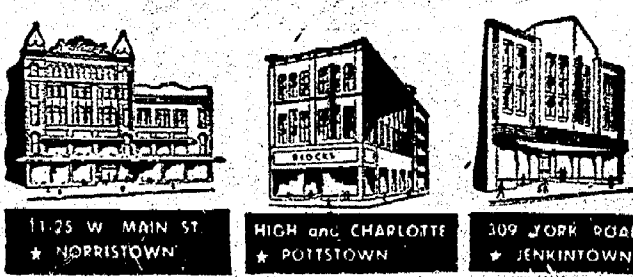
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3 WAYS TO PAY AT BLOCKS
CASH · CHARGE
BUDGET PLAN
WITH A LONG TIME TO PAY!

OPEN FRIDAY EVENING 'TIL 9 P. M.



Block's
(SINCE 1884)
POTTSTOWN

80 Attend Brethren Class Mother-Daughter Banquet

More than 80 members of the Ladies' Bible class of First church of the Brethren and their daughters attended the class's annual mother-daughter banquet last night in the church.

President, Mrs. Orpha Miller, welcomed the group, and the opening prayer was delivered by Mr. Reinhart Groff, class teacher.

Miss Edith Johnson, mistress of ceremonies, led the group sing and the church Junior choir presented several selections. Mrs. Bertha Fox also presented a reading.

A skit, featuring Miss Johnson, was presented.

A TOAST to the daughters was given at the start of the tureen supper by Mrs. Howard Kalis, and Barbara Kalis gave the daughters' response.

Special wards were given to Mrs. Emma Fry, 76, the oldest mother present. Mrs. Helen Mest, most daughters present, with four daughters, one daughter-in-law and two granddaughters; and Sharon Ruth Levengood, two-month-old daughter of Mrs. Kenneth Levengood, the youngest daughter present.

The supper was in charge of: Mrs. Helen Mest, Mrs. George Law, Mrs. Rena Boalton, Mrs. Pearl Norris, Mrs. Anna Yohn, Mrs. Norma McConnell, decorations; Mrs. Catherine Hausman, Mrs. Lavina Powell, Mrs. Elsie Miller, Mrs. June Covey, reservations; and Mrs. Neff, Mrs. Louella Reifsnnyder, Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. Ammon Davidheiser, Mrs. Clyde McElroy, Mrs. Howard Bowden and Mrs. Irene Hess, program.

Kitchen, Mrs. William D. Mower, Mrs. Stephen Grady, Mrs. Edward Hunnicutt, Mrs. Emory Lord, Mrs. George Anholt, Mrs. Morris Gavin, Mrs. Paul Gross, Mrs. Robert Rohrbach, Mrs. Olga Kuechler, Mrs. Jack Eckstrom, Mrs. Robert Clapp and Mrs. Darwin Rayson.

Festival Held by PTA Of Franklin School; Termed 'Successful'

Committee women for the Franklin Parent-Teacher association festival termed the affair, which was held Wednesday night, as a success.

Mrs. William Hurter, chairman of budget and finance, was general chairman of the festival. Aiding her on various committees were the following:

Kitchen, Mrs. William D. Mower, Mrs. Stephen Grady, Mrs. Edward Hunnicutt, Mrs. Emory Lord, Mrs. George Anholt, Mrs. Morris Gavin, Mrs. Paul Gross, Mrs. Robert Rohrbach, Mrs. Olga Kuechler, Mrs. Jack Eckstrom, Mrs. Robert Clapp and Mrs. Darwin Rayson.

CAKE BOOTH. Mrs. Raymond Bitting, Mrs. Emerson Hewitt, Mrs. Stanley Oliver, Mrs. Raymond Detterer, Mrs. Kenneth Ward, and Mrs. Alex Landis; hot dogs, Mrs. Harold Baumann, Mrs. Dean Hall, Mrs. Morrell E. Grigg, Mrs. Albert Pollick and Mrs. Edward Matulewicz.

Ice cream, Mrs. Nels Dilks, Mr. William Hurter, Mr. Raymond Detterer and Sgt. 1/c Steven Paularis; candy, Mrs. Ralph Wentzel, Mrs. Karl Johnson, Mrs. Raymond Russell, Mrs. Nels Dilks, Mrs. Marjorie Knopp and Mrs. Mildred Ziegler.

Fish pond, Mrs. Robert Groom, Mrs. Steven Paularis, Mrs. George Shaner, Mrs. Lewis Schwenk and Mrs. Ronald Neiman; novelty, Mrs. William Leiser, Mrs. B. O. Sandquist, Mrs. William H. McCabe, Mrs. William Donahue, Mrs. Thomas Henry and Mrs. Brenda Warden.

COFFEE, Mrs. Meral Cox and Miss Barbara Kirlin; soda, Mr. Chester Kuechler, Dr. Harold B. Baumann, Mr. Robert E. Rohrbach, Mr. William Donahue and Mr. Kurtz Gabriel.

Pony rides, Mrs. Kurtz Gabriel and Mrs. Charles Baste. The tables were erected by Mr. Wentzel, Mr. Hurter and Mr. Anholt.

Mrs. Edward Weiner was in charge of tickets and Mrs. Herbert Drumheller, treasurer, handled the finance.

Anniversary Banquet Committees Named For Class Reunion

Members of Pottstown High school, class of '42 have been sent invitations for their tenth anniversary banquet to be held June 6, at the Maria Assunta club, 379 Cherry street, at 6:30 o'clock.

The following committees have been announced by Mr. John Hospador, vice president.

Dinner and reservations: Mrs. Doris Rawn Hohl and Mrs. Jane Kelly Hospador.

Program committee: Mr. Joseph Ross, chairman, Mr. William Hart, Mr. Earl Weikel, Mr. Wayne Degan, Mrs. Eleanor Missimer Clark and Mrs. Jane Kelly Hospador.

Decorating committee: Mrs. Eleanor Missimer Clark and Mrs. Elizabeth Varady Basco, co-chairmen. Mrs. Betty Neiman Freeze, Mrs. Thelma Huber Houck, Mrs. Adeline Longaker Maack, Mrs. Betty Keck Yocom, Mrs. Evelyn Butz Groff, Mrs. Phyllis Hartenstine Goodnow and Miss Kathryn Klaus.

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CLUB NEWS Woman's Page WEDDINGS

Three Generations Enjoy Church Dinner



Three generations of the Mest family were represented at the Mother-Daughter dinner staged by the Ladies' Bible class of the First Church of the Brethren last night in the church. The dinner was attended by 82 mothers and daughters. Shown above, (left to right, sitting), are Mrs. Dorothy Yusko and daughter Mary Ann; Mrs. Helen Mest, mother of the four young women and grandmother of the two small girls; and Mrs. Joan Ollinger Standing, (left to right), are Mrs. Joyce Rupert, and daughter Helen Louise, and Miss Ruth Mest.

Officers Installed At All-Day Meeting Of Methodist WSCS

New officers of the Coventryville Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service were installed at an all-day meeting of the group recently in the home of Mrs. T. S. Guest, Pottstown RD 2.

Installed were the following:

Mrs. Earl S. Fries, president; Mrs. George Bealer, vice president; Mrs. Ernest Rhone, secretary; Mrs. Wayne Swinchart, assistant secretary; Mrs. Edna Potts, treasurer; Mrs. James Chapman, assistant treasurer; Mrs. Paul Trythall, youth movement; Mrs. Lloyd Branning, sympathy fund; Mrs. Ida Ayres, assistant sympathy fund; and Mrs. Ayres, dues secretary.

THE MORNING was spent in making pillow cases and other embroidered work.

Luncheon was served by the hostesses, and the business meeting was conducted by the president, Gertrude M. Sterling. Mr. George Mrs. Fries, Mrs. Wayne Fulmer, Mrs. Hughes, Mr. Melrose Weidensaul, Mr. Alan K. Davidheiser, Mr. Wilkins and Mr. Forrest V. Purnell.

It was announced that the welcoming committee for June 1 will be Mrs. Guest and Mrs. Rhone.

For June 8 the committee will consist of Mrs. Arthur Essick and Mrs. Branning.

THE NEXT meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Lidie Fries, 325 New street, Spring City.

Others attending were: Mrs. Jenny Yeomans, Mrs. Ida Epright, Mr. and Mrs. James Dunlap, Mrs. Edith Santangelo, Mrs. Veronon Guest and daughter, Sharon Jane; Miss Sandra Fries, Mrs. T. S. Guest and daughter, Myrna, and Mrs. Edward Baver.

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Anniversary Banquet Is Slated for June 6 By PHS Class of 1927

Plans for the 25th anniversary banquet of Pottstown Senior High school class of 1927 were begun Wednesday night at a meeting of the group in the school.

Class members from the immediate area, and one member who came from Philadelphia to attend, discussed the dinner and voted to hold it on Friday, June 6, at the Elks' home.

MISS ALMA Klunk was named chairman of the affair, and stated, "our class members now are living in all portions of the state, and we hope to have as many as possible at the dinner. We hope to reach as many members of the class of 1927 as we can, in order to make this dinner the best we've ever had."

Other planning committee members appointed were: Miss Leona V. Smith, Mrs. Marian Dulman Colletts, and the business meeting, Mrs. Ruth Firing Emery, Miss Gertrude M. Sterling, Mr. George Mrs. Fries, Mrs. Wayne Fulmer, Mrs. Hughes, Mr. Melrose Weidensaul, Mr. Alan K. Davidheiser, Mr. Wilkins and Mr. Forrest V. Purnell.

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BIRTHS

A girl was born in Memorial hospital yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crater, Pottstown RD 2.

Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. George Harmonsky, 566 High street, on the birth of a son yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lloyd, Pottstown RD 3, announce the birth of a son in the Memorial hospital yesterday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Dotterer, Boyertown RD 2, in Reading hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hartline, Douglassville RD, became the parents of a daughter in St. Joseph's hospital, Reading.

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TODAY'S HOROSCOPE REMEMBER that social consciousness helps to bring more pleasant relations, with those one meets. Your affairs are likely to improve rapidly in the months ahead. Unusual talent in art, music or literature is predicted for the child born on this date.

Today James Gibbons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gibbons, 1163 South street.

Warren Embody Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Embody, Sanatoga.

Charles D. Zern Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zern, 221 Jefferson avenue.

Charles Steinle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Steinle, Schwenksville RD 1.

Norman Tray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Tray, 551 Spruce street.

Norma Jean Renninger, daughter of Mrs. Cordelia Renninger, 267 Diamond street.

George Brown Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, 33 East Main street, South Pottstown.

Robert D. Staverosky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Staverosky, 32 West Main street, South Pottstown.

Walter Lessig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Lessig, 518 Race street, Stowe.

Kenneth Tyson, 1004 Schuylkill road.

Sandra Lee Rader, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rader, 428 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, aged two years.

George Kline, son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Kline, Pottstown RD 1, aged one year.

John R. Ibach, 112 Warren street.

COOKOUT PLANNED The Girl Scout Leaders' club plans to hold a cookout meeting on Monday night, June 2, meeting at the YWCA at 7:30 o'clock. Registration may be made by telephoning Mrs. Samuel Hanna at 513-R Pottstown. Mrs. Doris Maimone is club president.

Plastic produce bags make good diaper containers when visiting or traveling.

THE LODGE decided to hold a strawberry and ice cream festival. No date has been set for the affair. An invitation was given to the lodge by Mr. Alfred Barndt to go to Middletown for religious services in the Odd Fellows home, Sunday, May 18, at 3 o'clock.

Noble grand appointed the following committees:

Ways and means: Mrs. Mease, Mrs. Lottie Gehris, Mrs. Nettie Hartmaier, Mrs. Alice Swortwood and Mrs. Sweetwood.

Flower committee: Mrs. Mary Bush, Mrs. Virginia Keinard and Mrs. Lottie Heck.

OTHER COMMITTEES appointed will be:

Publicity, Mrs. Lillian Longenberger; delinquent, Mrs. Henry; entertainment, Mrs. Viola Barndt, social committee for May, Mrs. Sweetwood; for June, Mrs. Ruth Bitting; for July, Mrs. Janic Eagle; for August, Mrs. Mary Farn; for September, Mrs. Esther Mest and for October, Mrs. Mary Ellis.

Pig-in-the-box winners were Mrs. Marie Lachman and Mrs. Longenberger.

Next meeting will be a birthda social on Wednesday, June 25.

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Banquet For 100 Is Given By Women's Association

Pink and orchid was the color scheme used last night for the Women's association of First Presbyterian mother-daughter banquet, held in the church assembly room.

Over 100 association members and their daughters attended the affair, which was opened by greetings from the president, Mrs. Christian S. Stouffer. A toast to the daughters was given by Mrs. C. B. Welch, and her daughter, Christina Welch, replied with a toast to the mothers.

Program chairman, Mrs. Harry C. Shope, introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Aaron Thalmer, who showed her collection of dolls and gave an explanatory talk on each of them.

MRS. THALMER'S collections number 284 dolls, the majority

Rev. Dr. Krouse Speaks Before Emmanuel Class

The Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran church, gave a review of the book "Total Terror," by Albert Kalme, Wednesday night during a meeting of the Mothers' class in the church.

After opening devotions by Mrs. Edna Shinehouse, the 25 members present heard a vocal solo by Mrs. Isabel Hartman, accompanied by Mrs. Isaac Richards.

They voted to donate the sum of \$25 to purchase needed articles for a displaced family sponsored into the United States by the church, and now living in the Pottstown area.

Mrs. Shinehouse spoke on helping the aged and shut-in persons, after which refreshments were served by the social committee.

The class will meet again on Wednesday, June 11, at the home of Mrs. Harry Smith, 420 North York street.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Today Mr. and Mrs. Andrew E. Kovach Sr., 336 Cherry street, 34 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Dragus, 427 South street, six years.

VARIETY SHOW SCHEDULED

The Monday afternoon meeting of the Golden Age club will feature a variety show with club members participating. The meeting will be held from 2 to 4 o'clock in the YWCA gymnasium.

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Mother-Daughter Banquet in Presbyterian Church



The Women's association of First Presbyterian church joined the parade of church groups staging mother-daughter dinners and banquets this month, when they staged a similar affair in the church last night. Seated around the banquet table are, (left to right), Mrs. John Morrell and daughter Sara; Mrs. Harry C. Shope, program chairman; Mrs. Thalmer, guest speaker; Mrs. Christian Stouffer, president of the association; and Miss Sue Trendler, leader of the hostess group. Circle 4. The association is divided into five circles.

Flower Hike Is Enjoyed By Cedar Grove Scouts

A flower hike, with leaders and scouts explaining the various flowers found, was held by members of Girl Scout Troop 27 of Cedar Grove Community chapel, Wednesday.

After the hike the girls met in the chapel, where refreshments were served, and they decided to write to scouts in other countries at the next meeting.

Attending were: Bonita Mock and Mary Ann Hasselhan, new scouts; Sandra John, Rosemary Maylath, Judy Dotterer, Diane and Janice Meeker, Catherine Hartenstine, Margaret Lauer and leaders, Mrs. Rodney Slider and Miss Mary Jane Hartenstine.

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School League Chooses Officers for New Year

Members of the Limerick School league elected officers for the term to begin the coming September at a meeting recently.

Results of the voting are as follows:

Mrs. Frederick Norton, president; Mrs. Ernest Leidenberger, first vice president; Mrs. Steven Catranis, second vice president; Mrs. Earl Gilbert, secretary; and Mrs. James Britton, treasurer.

Committees were appointed and

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plans for the May Day celebration at the school were made for May 23 at noon. The May queen and her court will be featured. Rain date for the event is May 29.

Mrs. Harold Harvey, outgoing president, was in charge of the meeting which was the final one for the school year.

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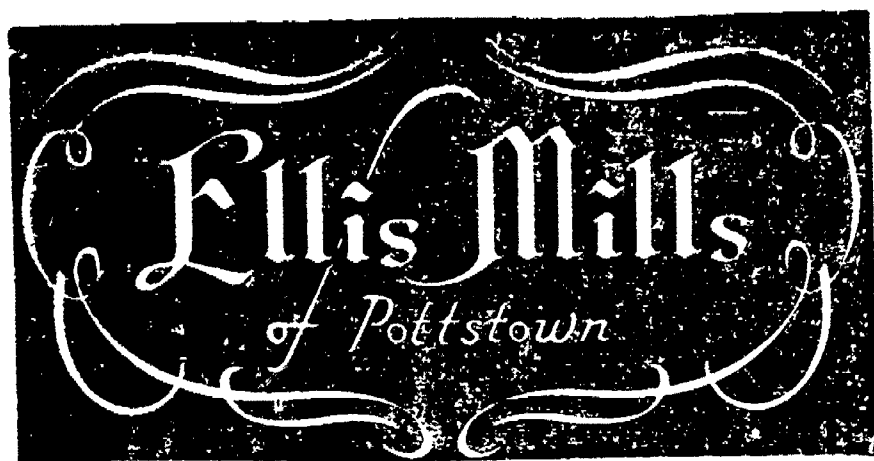
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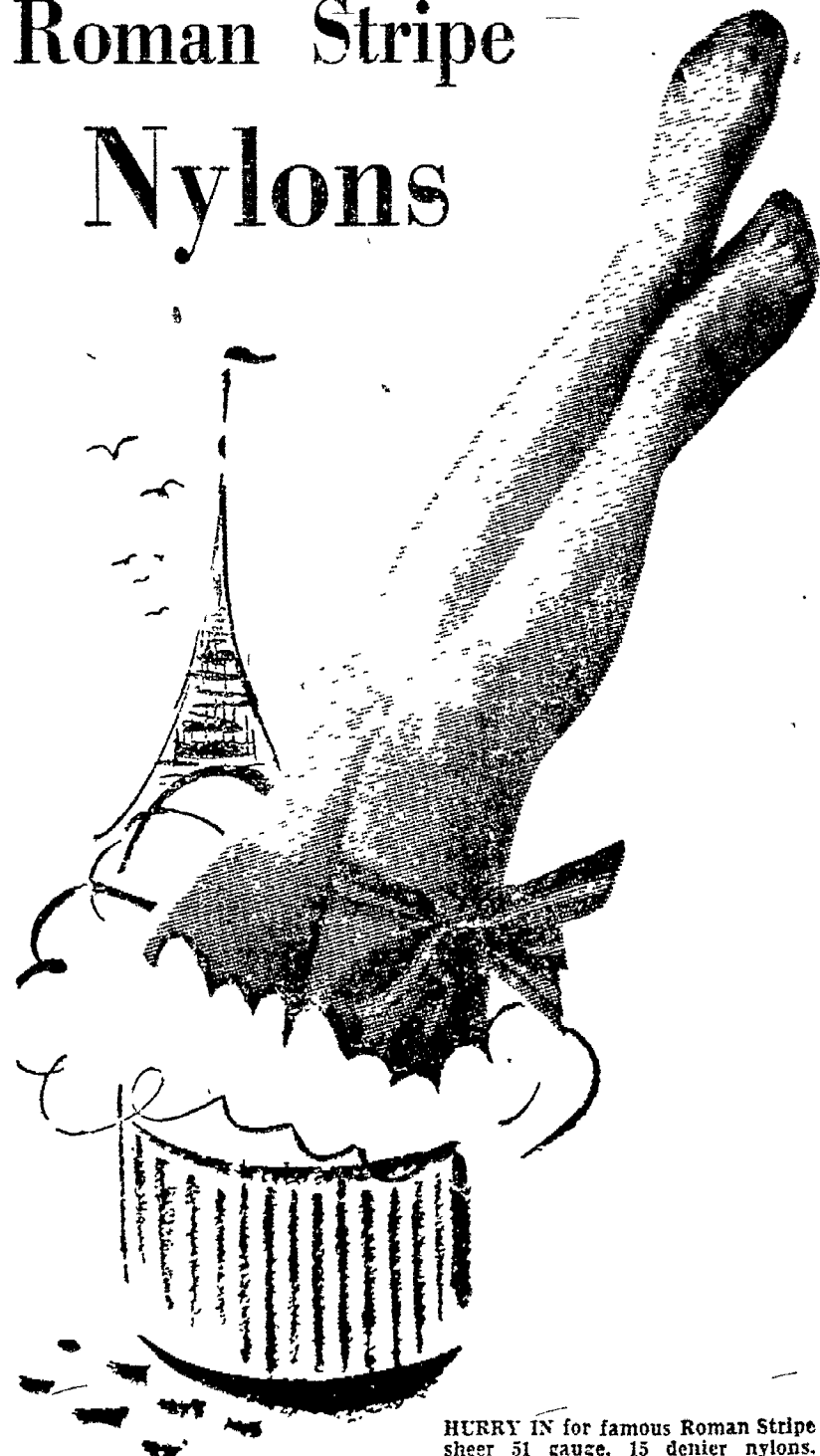
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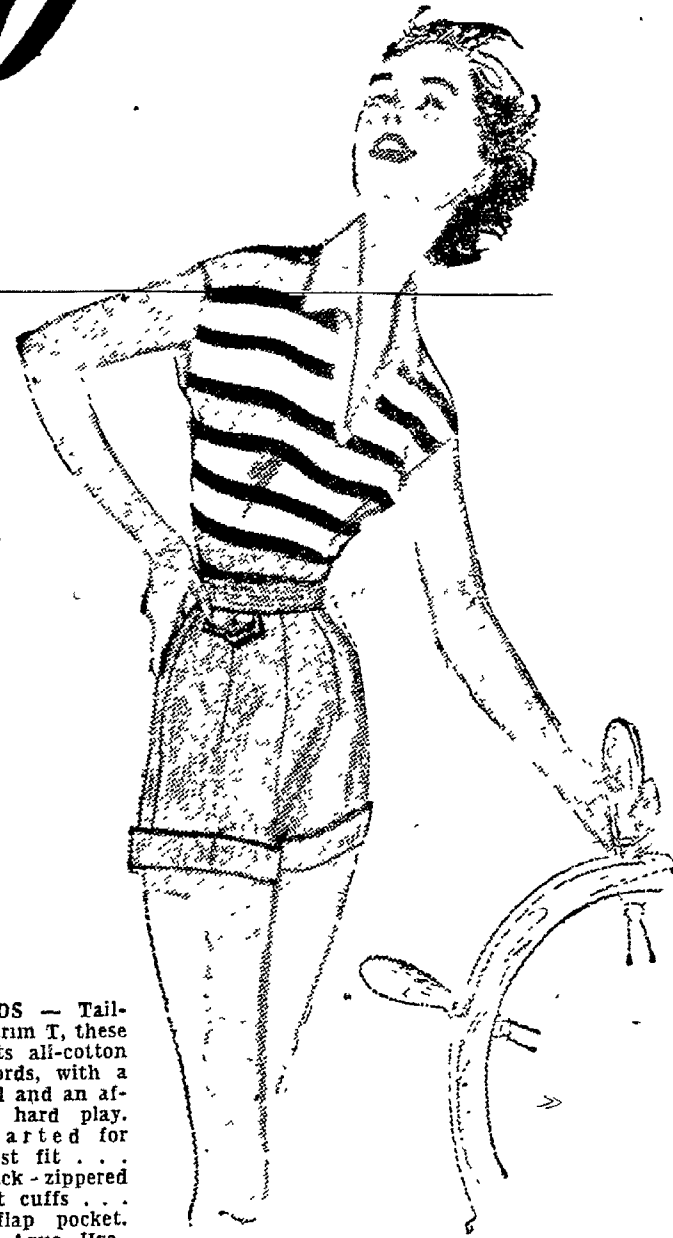
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Coventry Church Scene Of Mother-Daughter Tea

Members of Coventry Brethren church enjoyed a mother-daughter tea last night in the church.

The table was beautifully set with two silver services, lighted white tapers and decorated with a bouquet of bridal wreath, tulips and iris.

Group singing began the evening's entertainment with Mrs. Harold Bealer as song leader and Mrs. Walter Thomas as pianist.

DEVOTIONS WERE conducted by Mrs. Ralph Saylor, who chose as her theme, "Practicing Love at Home."

Guest speaker was Mrs. Glenn Norris, Ambley Brethren church, who urged the group to "find the best things, not just the good." She pointed out that radio, television and automobiles are good, but asked if they were the best things in life.

"Everybody knows that they have the best mother in their home," she asserted, "but homes need the best daughters to make them the best."

FIVE VOCAL solos, consisting of nursery rhymes and lullabies, were presented by Mary Ann Bealer. The toast mistress was Mrs. Charles Rosewarne.

A toast to the mothers was proposed by Miss Barbara Ehly, and the daughters were toasted by Mrs. Lena Syphard.

Vocal duets were sung by Mrs. Robert Barr and Mrs. Robert Saylor.

THE SPEAKER was introduced by Mrs. Howard Keiper.

Awards, consisting of a red geranium, were given to the following:

Mrs. Isiah Boorse, oldest

Miss Kraftsow to Wed Mr. Harold B. Federman

Mr. and Mrs. George Kraftsow, Elkins Park, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ruth Kraftsow, to Mr. Harold B. Federman, son of Mrs. Albert G. Federman, Chester, and the late Dr. Federman.

Miss Kraftsow is a graduate of Pennsylvania State college.

Mr. Federman, who was graduated from the same college in 1943, continued studies there in metallurgical engineering and later at the Case Institute of Technology in Cleveland, O., where he is a senior research associate. He is associated with the firm of Mayer Pollock.

No wedding date has been selected.

Cake Sale Plans Made By Girl Scouts, Troop 10

The Girl Scouts of Troop 10, Trinity Reformed church, met yesterday.

Plans for a cake sale on May 24 were discussed. The girls made buddy burners, played games, made posters and various other things.

The scouts present included: CLAUDETTE JACOBS, Mary Jane Davidheiser, Donna Quinter, Brenda Fidler, Diane Bachner, Judy Melay, Eleanor Saracene, Anna Mae Mossie, Ann Snedeker, Joan Yost and Marion Wetty.

Leaders present were: Mrs. Barbara Groff, Mrs. Mary Jane Bobb and Mrs. Sara Davidheiser.

SOLDIER TO SPEAK

Members of the American Legion auxiliary will hear a service man from Valley Forge Army hospital speak on the topic, "Poppy," Monday night at their 8 o'clock meeting in the Legion home.

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Graduates



Miss Nancy Kinzer, (above), was graduated from Reading Hospital Training school yesterday in Wyomissing High school auditorium. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kinzer, 30 East Second street. Miss Kinzer left yesterday after the commencement exercises for a three month period of further training at the St. Elizabeth hospital in Washington, D.C. In September she will be affiliated with the Hamburg sanatorium.

Mothers' Class of Trinity Plans Banquet on June 10

The annual banquet of the Mothers' class of Trinity Reformed church was planned recently during a class meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Ulrich, 255 Walnut street.

To be held on Tuesday, June 10, the affair was placed in charge of Mrs. William Hartenstein, Mrs. Edward Kurtz, Mrs. Chester Schwab, Mrs. John DeKalb, Mrs. Howard Griswald and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Also, the group made preliminary plans to hold a family picnic on Aug. 6, instead of the weiner roast usually held then.

It was voted to send playing cards to patients at Valley Forge Army hospital, and to make new choir gowns for the church Junior choir.

Mrs. Milton Miller gave a report on a cake sale held recently by the class.

After the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Ulrich and her co-hostesses, Mrs. Joseph Flickinger, Mrs. Maurice Sassaman, Mrs. Lewis Fryer and Mrs. Gordon Levengood.

Legion Auxiliary Juniors Plan a Picnic in June

Six members of the American Legion auxiliary Juniors attended a meeting of the group recently in the post home, to plan a picnic in June.

Volunteers to aid with the coming poppy drive, on Friday and Saturday, May 23 and 24, include: Joan Wert, Patricia Miller and Doris Ann Kemp.

During the meeting the girls made May baskets and filled them with cut flowers, and refreshments were served during the game period.

Attending were: Linda Lee Yostin, Patricia Miller, Doris Ann and Patricia Lou Kemp, Jane Louise Hart, Joan Wert, and parents, Mrs. Leonard Kemp, Mrs. Girard Yostin. Also present were auxiliary president, Mrs. Russell Benner, and chairman of the Juniors, Mrs. Daniel F. Hayes.

Care for Your Hair In Season of Surf And Ocean Breezes

Now that the season of surf and sea breezes is again at hand, it's a wise woman who gives a bit of before-hand thought to the beauty ravages that can be wreaked by incautious fun-in-the-sun.

Your hair, in particular, is likely to suffer from vacation activities. Not only do your tresses tend to lose their natural oils as the result of repeated soakings at beach or pool, but the sun itself has a drying effect upon unprotected locks.

Common sense is your best ally in avoiding a hay-stack look this Summer. Keep abuse of your hair to a minimum, remembering to wear a protective head covering while swimming, sun bathing and golfing. This rule applies to motor trips as well; harsh winds whipping through your hair do little to preserve natural softness and manageability.

IT'S A good idea, too, to make a practice of thoroughly rinsing your hair in fresh, clear water each time you emerge from a dip. Salt or other minerals, often present in lake, pool or ocean, prove injurious if allowed to remain too long in your tresses.

To maintain the beauty and luster of your locks, try this hair-reconditioning trick recommended by Victor Vito, noted New York hairdresser.

With clean cotton pads, apply olive oil to your hair, working it with special care around the roots. Next, don your shower cap, or tie a plastic kerchief bandana-style around your head.

THE FINAL step is to soak the oil well into your scalp with the aid of a heating pad, which will open the pores and allow the oil to replace natural secretions which have been lost through vacation neglect.

For comfort and convenience during this treatment, it's well to choose a heating pad that is adaptable to numerous gradations of heat. One such pad, developed by a leading maker of home appliances, offers a thermo-switch adjustment of 30 fixed heats, making it possible to set the temperature exactly to individual comfort with no need for trial-and-error adjustments.

This re-conditioning method is not only a quick and easy one for those unskilled in beauty routines, but it's an economical one as well. The heating pad and other simple, around-the-house equipment required for this treatment will maintain multi-purpose usefulness long after nothing remains of the Summer but a new collection of vacation photos in the family album.

Vitamin C helps to keep the tissues in our bodies in good condition. All the familiar citrus fruits are bountiful sources of this vitamin. Half a glass (four ounces) of orange or grapefruit juice, fresh or canned, goes far toward meeting a day's needs. The same is true of half a grapefruit or a whole orange. Other good sources of vitamin C include canned or fresh tomatoes and tomato juice, raw cabbage and green lettuce, fresh strawberries and cantaloup.

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Glove Variety



The illusion of a six-armed model is used to display new Parisian glove styles. From top, gloves are white nylon with sequin-trimmed cuffs; yellow nylon with scalloped lace cuffs; and white doeskin with bowed streamers.

Mrs. Houck Re-Elected Sunshine Class President

Mrs. Chester Houck was re-elected president of the Sunshine Bible class of East Nantmeal Baptist church last night during a class meeting at the home of Mrs. Russell James, Warwick.

Election tellers, Mrs. Leonard Kearney and Mrs. John W. Sandford, announced the results of the election as: Mrs. Houck; Mrs. John Swartzentruber, vice president; Mrs. Sandiford, chaplain; Miss Estella James, secretary; Mrs. Kearney, treasurer, and Mrs. D. C. Knauser, pianist.

Mrs. Houck conducted the opening ceremonies, and each member answered the club roll-call with a Bible verse containing the word "obey."

After the meeting Mrs. James and her co-hostess, Mrs. Walter Butler, served refreshments to the 15 members attending.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, June 19.

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Monthly Meeting Is Held By Tall Cedars Members

The Tall Cedars auxiliary held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday night in the Tall Cedars temple, Spring City.

Mrs. Robert Happe presided at the business meeting. New members accepted were Mrs. Harold Miller, Mrs. Ella Brunner and Mrs. Elsie Haines.

Committees for the evening were: ENTERTAINMENT: Mrs. Ralph Landes, chairman; Mrs. Stanley Russell and Mrs. Curtis Austen.

Refreshment: Mrs. Earl Tyson, chairman; Mrs. Harry Daub, Mrs. Earl Frederick, Miss Ruth Frederick, Mrs. Katherine Trunk, Mrs. Earl Hunsicker, Mrs. Raymond Hunsberger, Mrs. Charles Knyder, Miss Loretta Knyder and Mrs. Everett Leighton.

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Mrs. Shaner Is Elected President of Central PTA

Mrs. Paul Moyer, chairman of the Central Parent-Teacher association nominating committee, presented the slate of officers for the coming year at a meeting of the group Wednesday night in Washington school.

Elected from the slate and installed by Mrs. Harold Rohn, president of the Pottstown City Council of PTA, were: president, Mrs. Floyd Shaner; first vice president, Mrs. Robert Heffner; second vice president, Mrs. Nicholas Dolas; secretary, Mrs. Robert Richards; and treasurer, Mrs. Donald Vanderslice.

Mrs. Shaner conducted the meeting, and called for reports from Mrs. Richards and Mrs. Vanderslice. Attendance award winners were announced as grade two, Mrs. Roberta Richardson, teacher, and grade one, Mrs. Kathryn Ziegler, teacher.

A REPORT of the finance committee was given by Mrs. Moyer, who announced plans for the school festival on Friday, June 6. Tickets will be distributed on Friday, May 23, and money will be collected by the mothers from 12:30 until 1 o'clock.

Thursday, June 5, will be the last day for returning ticket funds. Grades one and two will return money to Mrs. Richardson, and grades three to six will take their ticket funds to the school library.

A summation report of the auditing committee, Mrs. Ruth Swinehart, Mrs. Nicholas Dolas and Mrs. Albert Istenes, was given, and Mrs. Istenes reported on the recent PTA Council meeting.

Mrs. Earl S. Yohn, program chairman, introduced the speaker for the evening, Mrs. Hilda Koch, who told of life in a dictatorship, as she lived it in Germany. Also on the program were piano selections by Suzanne Kirby and Ruth Anne Riley.

Tales of China Repeated For Presbyterian Group

The Presbyterian Guild circle of First Presbyterian church heard tales of China recently at a meeting in the church house.

Miss Kathryn Lederach, of Lederach, recently returned from China after living there for over seven years as a missionary. She told of her experiences there.

Mrs. William Glenney, secretary, gave her report as did the treasurer, Mrs. Edgar Donahower. Devotions were led by Mrs. John Hoffecker.

Refreshments were served to the 35 members present by Mrs. Frederick Jenkins and Mrs. Frank Ladner.

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Betty Frech Honored With Bridal Shower In Pottstown Home

Miss Betty Frech was honored last night at a miscellaneous bridal shower in her home.

Miss Frech is the daughter of Mrs. Pearl Frech, 10 West Eighth street and will become the bride of Mr. Joseph Manjardi, son of Mrs. Lena Manjardi, Bridgeport, on June 8, in Emmanuel Lutheran church.

The shower was given by Miss Mary Ann Frech, Miss Mary Ellen Overholtzer and Mrs. Lorraine Fryer who will be her attendants. The guest of honor was the recipient of many gifts which were arranged under an umbrella decorated with the color scheme of the attendants' gowns. A bride doll was placed amidst the gifts.

GUESTS ATTENDING were: Mrs. Russell Swavely and daughter Carole Ann, Mrs. Ernest Kulp, Mrs. Marie Kerlin, Miss Gloria Petzer, Miss Betty Petzer, Mrs. Rollin Saylor, Mrs. Ralph Zerr, Mrs. LeRue Casper and daughter Donna, Miss Catherine Piazza, Mrs. Henry Reitnauer, Mrs. Frank Clemens and Miss Joan Eagle.

Also, Mrs. Virginia Pollick, Miss Mary Grofe, Miss Janet Shell, Miss Geraldine Overholtzer, Miss Areta Overholtzer, Miss Joanne Embody, Mrs. Earl Mock, Mrs. Yolanda Loughran, Mrs. Dorothy Monaghan, Mrs. Joan Zeigler, Mrs. Jean Hollenbach, Mrs. Mary Perna, Mrs. Frances Tinari, Mrs. Manjardi and Mrs. Frech.

GIFTS WERE sent by: Mrs. Mary Overholtzer, Mrs. Frank Piazza, Mrs. Betty Minchak, Miss Patricia Kast, Mrs. Clara Casciano, Mrs. Mary Lou Carabella, Mrs. Carmella Perna, Mrs. George Frech and Mrs. David Kerr.

Trip to Boone Homestead Is Enjoyed by Brownies

A trip to Daniel Boone homestead was enjoyed by the Brownies, Troop 3, of St. Aloysius Catholic church.

The girls had a doggie roast and played games. They also practiced a play.

Brownies that attended the meeting were:

JOANNE PERONI, Barbara Houck, Mary Anne Firing, Jeanne Berthold, Priscilla Heisler, Patricia Cutillo, Patricia Grimm, Marie Prostovich, Francine Piazza, Marie McGee, Marie Schott, Rosalyn Stranick, Patricia Wack, Agnes Wilson, Margaret Rhoads and Kathleen Murphy.

Miss Nancy Detoree and Mrs. Jane Hospador were leaders.

Pie or tart shells usually need ten to twelve minutes of baking in a hot (425°F.) oven.

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 - Ceeb Bathing Suits
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Straw In Wind



One straw that shows which way the fashion winds will blow this Summer is held by model Lorrie Taylor as she vacations at Miami Beach, Fla. The bathing suit she wears is something for both seasing and seeing.

Party cakes: Cut white cake in cubes or triangles. Make a confectioner's sugar frosting using enough liquid so that it will pour. Color frosting and pour over cakes, covering tops and sides.

Spread a layer of soap over your hot broiling pan and cover it with a wet washcloth. By dishwashing time, grease and food bits will slip off easily. Rinse in hot water and dry well.

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Miss Shaner Feted With Bridal Shower By Birdsboro Friend

Miss Mildred Shaner, 232 South street, was honored at a bridal shower recently in her home by Mrs. Rhea Yednock, Birdsboro RD 1.

The celebrant will become the bride of Mr. Robert Fry, son of Mrs. Florence Fry, 363 Laurel street. Miss Shaner is the daughter of Mr. Frank Shaner, 232 South street, and Mrs. Anna Hamilton, Birdsboro RD 1. They will be married in the home of Justice of the Peace Amelia R. Klink.

The table was decorated with a sprinkling can trimmed in yellow and white streamers which was suspended over the gifts. Games were played and prizes won by Mrs. Pauline Reider, Miss Mary Orandosh and Mrs. Mary Falcone.

Attending were: Mrs. Dolly Musselman, Miss Betty Mauer, Mrs. Betty Hessler, Mrs. Emma Richards, Miss Orandosh, Miss Angeline Falcone, Mrs. Mary Falcone, Mrs. Marie Wein, Mrs. Reider and Miss Anna Marie Engle.

Gifts were sent by the following, who could not attend: Mrs. Martha Trank, Mrs. Doris Biscardi, Miss Irene Kupcho, Miss Betty Kupcho, Mrs. Nellie Szajna and Mrs. Hamilton.

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David Schaeffer And Miss Rossi Are Engaged

The engagement of Miss Joanne Rossi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rossi, Allentown, to David Schaeffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell R. Schaeffer, 126 church social room. North Schaeffer street, was re- vealed at an announcement party held at the Owls club, Allentown. Room decorations were yellow and gold with a huge engagement ring decorating the center of the table. In the center of the huge ring were two doll effigies representing the engaged couple. Many gifts were received. Miss Rossi is a Senior at Allentown High school and is employed at Somach's, inc., Allentown. Schaeffer, a graduate of Boyertown High school, class of 1949, is a senior at Temple university where he is majoring in television and electronics.

New Berlinville Senior Tapped for Fraternity

LEWISBURG, May 15—Lee L. Henry of New Berlinville, Bucknell university senior, has been tapped for Omicron Delta Kappa, national leadership honorary fraternity for men. Henry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac S. Henry, New Berlinville. A graduate of Mercersburg academy, he is a candidate for the degree of bachelor of arts at the Bucknell commencement in June.

20th Reunion Planned By High School Class

Boyertown High school, class of 1932, which numbered 65 graduates, are making plans for a 20th class reunion to be held on Saturday, June 14, at 7 p.m. in the Washington house, near Bechtelsville. Invitations have been sent out to members and reservations are being taken by Mrs. Flora (Schoenly) Harner, 640 Highland avenue.

CARRIER IS ACTIVE

BAYONNE, N. J., May 15 (AP)—The USS Oriskany, newest and fourth largest aircraft carrier in the Navy, today was returned officially to an active duty status in a ceremony at the south annex of the New York Naval shipyard here.

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Residents Invited to Air Show

A special invitation has been extended to residents to witness demonstrations and special exhibitions by members of the Kutztown squadron of the Civil Air patrol to be held on Sunday at Kutztown. The invitation has been extended by Daniel Clouser, 30 North Reading avenue, who is a member of the patrol. Clouser stated there will be free rides for all Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of Berks county up to and including 16 years of age. The only requirement from each one will be a written permission slip signed by the parents. He stated the day will start with a breakfast ride by the patrol members to Pottstown. Following their return, the free rides will be given.

CLOUSER ALSO stated that supply dropping demonstrations, crop dusting and banner towing exhibitions will be given by the patrol. A new airplane also will be on display. He invited everyone interested to come to Kutztown on Sunday to witness these demonstrations.

Health Report Given At Board Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the borough Board of Health was held on Wednesday evening at the home of the secretary-treasurer, Daniel A. Rohrbach, 516 East Fourth street. The report of the health officer, Harry I. Gilbert, was heard and accepted. He reported 12 cases of measles for the period April 10 to the present time. During the same period, Gilbert had no releases. The board had received no complaints during the past month and so the meeting, in charge of the president, Dr. John H. Waring, was adjourned.

Miss Sidney Kutz, chairman of the cookie sale committee, reported the sale of cookies was successful and the committee thanked the Girl Scout and Brownie troops for their help in the sale. Miss Marie Foust, executive director of Lebanon county Girl Scouts, told of her experiences at the International Encampment at Wind Mountain, Oregon. She also showed slides she had taken there. Members from Boyertown attending were Mrs. Robert W. Lange, Mrs. Paul Reinert, Mrs. Richard P. Aust, Mrs. Glenwood Weller and Mrs. Helen C. Dillon.

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Marine Tanks Move to Front



Tanks of the First Marine division are loaded on flatcars at Munsan, Korea, before moving to the front last month. Relaxation of security restrictions revealed the Marines were active on front near the peace-talk town of Panmunjom, replacing South Korean units. Since their fighting withdrawal from the Changjin Reservoir area of northeast Korea after the Chinese entered the war the Marines fought along the Central and Eastern fronts.

Parents to Visit Grade Schools

The annual open house and inspection of the Lincoln and Washington grade schools will be conducted tonight between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock.

The parents and friends of pupils of both schools are welcome to visit the schools tonight and witness what is being accomplished in the class rooms. Each teacher will be in his respective room to guide the visitors and answer questions.

Principal of the Lincoln school, Miss Elizabeth Haas, and Mrs. Dorothea L. Wise, principal of the Washington school, have scheduled a display of the work being done by the pupils. Supervising principal of the school district, George B. Swinehart, also has extended a special invitation to everyone to visit the schools tonight.

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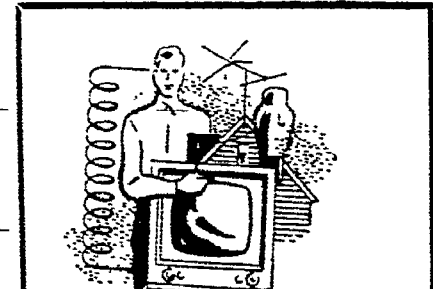
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YMCA Drive Workers Urged to Make Reports

The Boyertown YMCA campaign workers are urged to make their final reports and return all prospect cards of the Boyer Town inn between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock tonight. Henry R. Carichner, executive secretary, announced \$850 is still required to reach the goal of \$4600. He will be on hand to receive the reports.

Greek Actress Reports Flirtation With Aly Khan

ROME, May 15 (AP)—Just a flirtation, Greek Actress Irene Pappas said tonight about her reported romance with Prince Aly Khan. When a reporter said she had been quoted as saying she was anxious to marry Aly Khan, the dark-eyed beauty replied: "Oh, no. Don't mention marriage. It's just a flirtation." The 25-year-old actress from Corinth said she is still married to Alkis Pappas, a Greek actor—"separated but not divorced."



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Tailor's Friends Trying To Prove His Sobriety

LACOMBE, Alta., May 15 (AP)—Friends of Duncan Cameron, 85-year-old tailor who is "strictly a sober man," are trying to prove to Berlin Monday and flew over that virtue brings its own reward. They are attempting to win for Cameron a share in a 6000-pound (£16,800) legacy left 50 years ago by a Scottish hotelman for distribution among 12 poor tailors more than 50 years old who had never touched alcohol. The executors of the estate have had a difficult time finding such tailors and recently asked a court to cancel the will, but the judges told them to keep looking. Cameron has been a tailor for 71 years, and his friends are sure he can qualify. Five Yugoslav tailors also are reported to be in the running.

SOCIAL PARTY at BARTO T-O-N-I-G-H-T

Russians Charge Plane Flew in Prohibited Zone

BERLIN, May 15 (AP)—The Russians charged today that a French plane left the Allied air corridor to Berlin Monday and flew over prohibited east German territory. The east German news agency, Adn, said Soviet Maj. Gen. Nicolai Trussov warned the French in a letter that they would be held responsible for such violations. Soviet fighters opened fire against a French passenger plane on April 29. The Russians charged the French plane was over Soviet-occupied east Germany.

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Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFL ABC 560 K	WTP MBS 610 K
6:15	Bill Givens	Rural Digest	LeRoy Miller	Dawn Patrol
7:15	Jack Pyle	John Trent	" "	" "
8:15	News	News: Weather	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
9:15	Jack Pyle	News: Weather	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
10:15	News: Music	J. Raleigh	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
11:15	Jack Pyle	That Man Sears	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
12:15	News	" "	News: Weather	Mac McGuire
13:15	Jack Pyle	" "	LeRoy Miller	" "
14:15	Hal Moore	Cinderella	Breakfast Club	" "
15:15	Ruth Welles	Record Parade	" "	" "
16:15	The Answer Man	Here's Harvey	" "	" "
17:15	Welcome	Women Only	My True Story	Happiness Keys
18:15	Travelers	Mike Mysteries	Whisper's Street	Kitchen Keys
19:15	Double or Nothing	Arthur Godfrey	Against Storm	" "
20:15	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey	Lone Journey	Ladies Pair
21:15	Bob and Ray	Women Only	When Girl Weds	Queen For a Day
22:15	Dave Garraway	Rosemary	Break the Bank	" "

AFTERNOON

12:15	News	Warren: News	Jack Berch	Curt Massey
13:15	Bob Benson	Aunt Jenny	Victor L. Dahl	Mystery Melody
14:15	" "	Solen Trent	Father Jones	News: Weather
15:15	" "	Our Gal Sunday	" "	Baukhage
16:15	Anne Lee	Big Sister	Sleepy Hollow	Happiness Keys
17:15	Ruth Welles	Dr. Malone	Gang	Mary Biddle
18:15	News	Guiding Light	Mary Jones	" "
19:15	Jane Pickens	And Mrs. Burton	Thru the Years	Rhythm Riddles
20:15	Meredith Willson	Perry Mason	3 to Make Music	Liberty Bell
21:15	Live Like a Millionaire	Nora Drake	Mary M. McBride	Mystery Melody
22:15	Life Beautiful	Brighter Day	Ladies Be Seated	Bing Crosby
23:15	Double or Nothing	Hilltop House	Matinee McGuire	" "
24:15	Pepper Young	Houseparty	Happiness Keys	" "
25:15	Right to Happ's	Shopping Fun	Box 13	Alan Ladd
26:15	Backstage Wife	Hold the Phone	Cooking Show	Take-A-Number
27:15	Stella Dallas	John Trent	Bandstand	News
28:15	Wilder Barnum	" "	Bob Horn	Memory Lane
29:15	Woman in House	" "	Bandstand	Green Hornet
30:15	Plain Bill	Arthur Godfrey	Bob Horn	" "
31:15	Front Page Farl	World on Parade	Bandstand	Wild Will Hickock
32:15	Lorenzo Jones	Curt Massey	Skipper Dawes	" "
33:15	Doctor's Wife	" "	" "	" "

EVENING

6:15	News: Weather	Alan Scott	Lee Stewart	News
7:15	Answer Man	Sports: Weather	Singio Sam	Frankly Speaks
8:15	Double or Nothing	Lowell Thomas	Tom Moorhead	Ray Bloch
9:15	Three Star Extra	Boulah	Dick Haynes	Fulton Lewis Jr.
10:15	Fran Warren	Jack Smith Show	Corcoran Speaks	News
11:15	Citizen USA	Club 15	Lone Ranger	Gabriel Heatter
12:15	News	Edw. R. Murrow	Cowboy Drama	Adventures Call
13:15	One Man's Family	Musicaland U.S.A.	Richard Diamond	Mazie
14:15	Roy Rogers	The Big Time	This Is Your FBI	Gracie Fields
15:15	Bob and Ray	" "	" "	" "
16:15	Mario Lanza	Doris Day	Ozzie and Harriet	Magazine
17:15	Show	Judge Hardy's Family	Theater	Your Garden
18:15	Short Story	Stars in the Air	Flights	Mystery Melody
19:15	Tin Pan Valley	Mental Health	American	News
20:15	Bill Stern	Week Program	Bob Horn	Love a Mystery
21:15	News	Embassadors	Concert Hall	John Paonetta
22:15	Shan Shepherd	Concert Hall	" "	Love a Mystery
23:15	News	Barry Kaye	Sports: News	Baseball Party

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Time Channel No.	Program	Time Channel No.	Program
7:15 P. M.	10 Garry Moore	7:15 P. M.	8 News: Weather
8:15 P. M.	3 Pats. Fans, Personalities	8:15 P. M.	3 Handy Man
9:15 P. M.	6 Hollywood Varieties	9:15 P. M.	3 Those Two
10:15 P. M.	10 First Hundred Years	10:15 P. M.	3 Stu Erwin Show
11:15 P. M.	3 Shopping Show	11:15 P. M.	10 News
12:15 P. M.	6 Kitchen Calendar	12:15 P. M.	10 Perry Come Show
13:15 P. M.	10 Mike and But	13:15 P. M.	3 John Cameron Swayze
14:15 P. M.	3 Big Pay-off	14:15 P. M.	6 Twenty Questions
15:15 P. M.	6 Parade of Stars	15:15 P. M.	10 Manna
16:15 P. M.	3 Ralph Edwards	16:15 P. M.	3 Dennis Day
17:15 P. M.	10 Bert Parks	17:15 P. M.	10 My Friend Irma
18:15 P. M.	8 Movie Matinee	18:15 P. M.	6 Personal Appearance Theater
19:15 P. M.	10 Ghost Rider	19:15 P. M.	3 We, the People
20:15 P. M.	3 Kate Smith	20:15 P. M.	3 Big Story
21:15 P. M.	10 Junior Hi Jinx	21:15 P. M.	6 Down You Go
22:15 P. M.	6 TV Tease	22:15 P. M.	10 Playhouse of Stars
23:15 P. M.	3 Hawkins Falls	23:15 P. M.	3 Aldrich Family
24:15 P. M.	6 Gaby Hayes Show	24:15 P. M.	6 Tales of Tomorrow
25:15 P. M.	3 Howdy Doody	25:15 P. M.	10 It's News to Me
26:15 P. M.	10 Today's Movie	26:15 P. M.	3 Boxing
27:15 P. M.	3 Six Cinema	27:15 P. M.	6 Cavalcade of Stars
28:15 P. M.	10 Junior Hi Theater	28:15 P. M.	10 Police Story
29:15 P. M.	6 Space Cadet	29:15 P. M.	10 Corliss Archer
30:15 P. M.	10 Names in the News	30:15 P. M.	3 Greatest Fights
31:15 P. M.	6 Super Club	31:15 P. M.	3 Super Club
32:15 P. M.	10 News	32:15 P. M.	6 News: Weather
33:15 P. M.	6 Sports	33:15 P. M.	10 News: Weather
34:15 P. M.	10 Circus Kid	34:15 P. M.	6 Hunting and Fishing Club
35:15 P. M.	3 The Goldbugs	35:15 P. M.	10 Sports Extra

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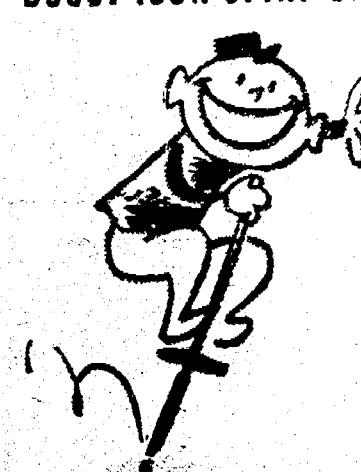
By BENNETT CERF

JOHNNY LAW sheepishly turned over to his mother a note from teacher that read, "Johnny is a bright lad, but frankly, for a boy of ten, he pays far too much attention to the pretty little girls. I'm trying to find a way of curing him." Mrs. Law wrote back to teacher, "If you find a way, for the Lord's sake let me in on it. I'm having the same trouble with Mr. Law."

The parents of a ten-year-old at Lakeview Academy received a letter from their boy expressing regret at their inability to attend the first drama of the year put on by students in the new auditorium. "You really missed a treat," he assured them. "We did 'Hamlet.' A lot of parents said they had seen it before, but they laughed just the same."

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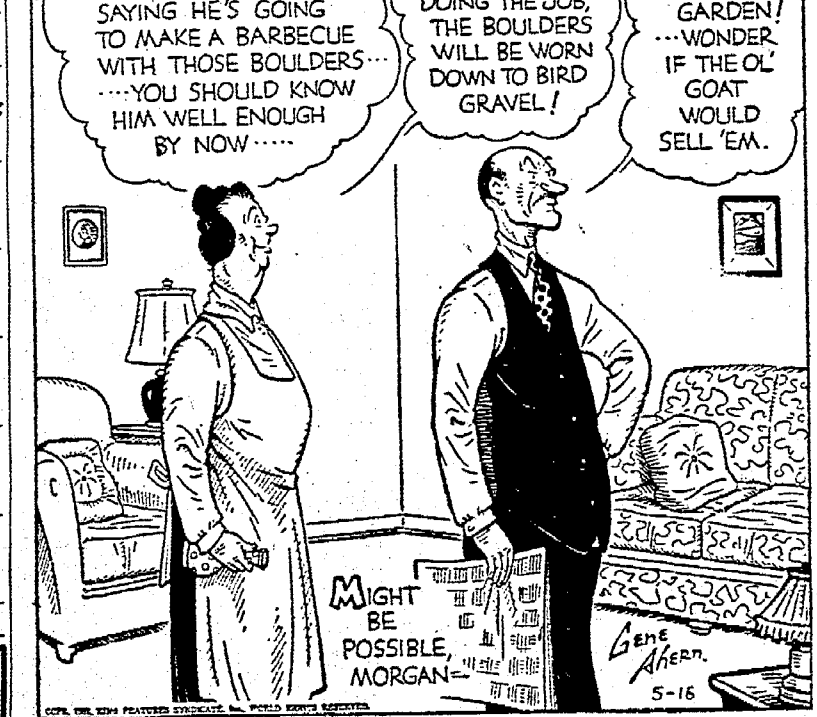
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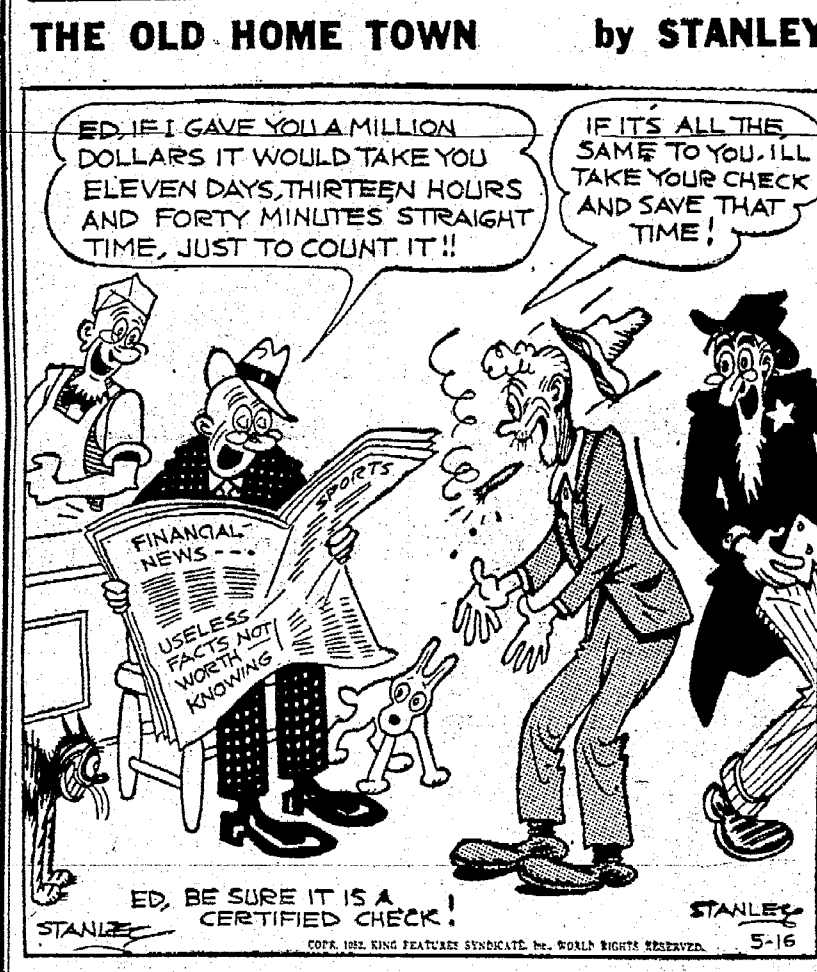
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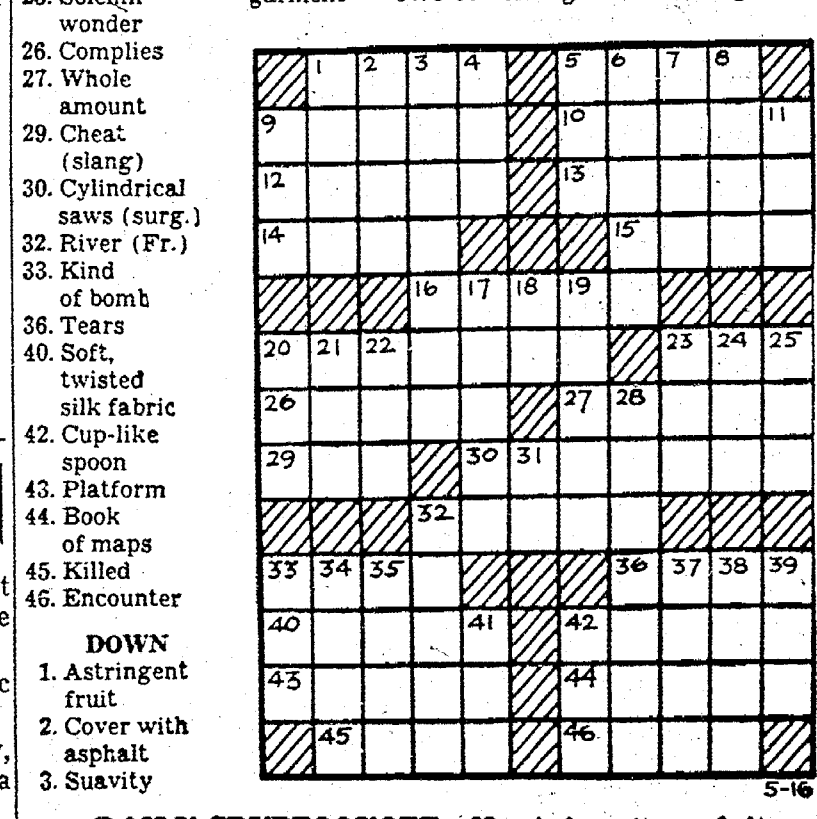


THE OLD HOME TOWN by STANLEY



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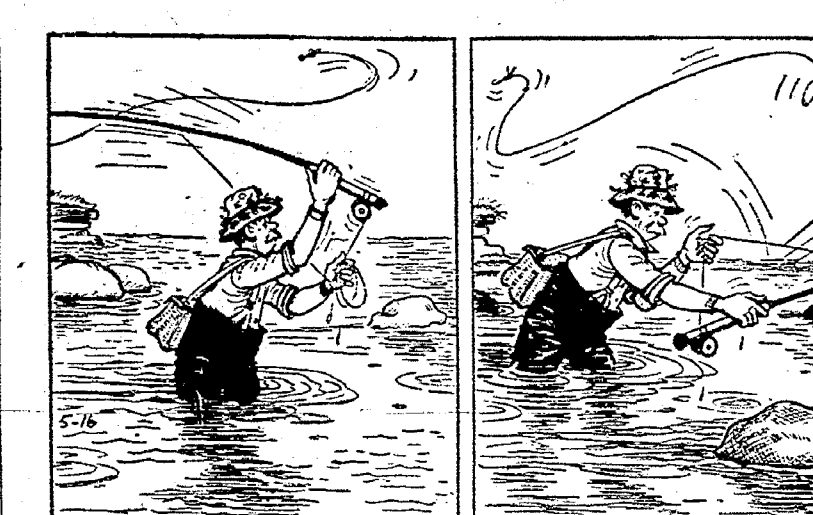
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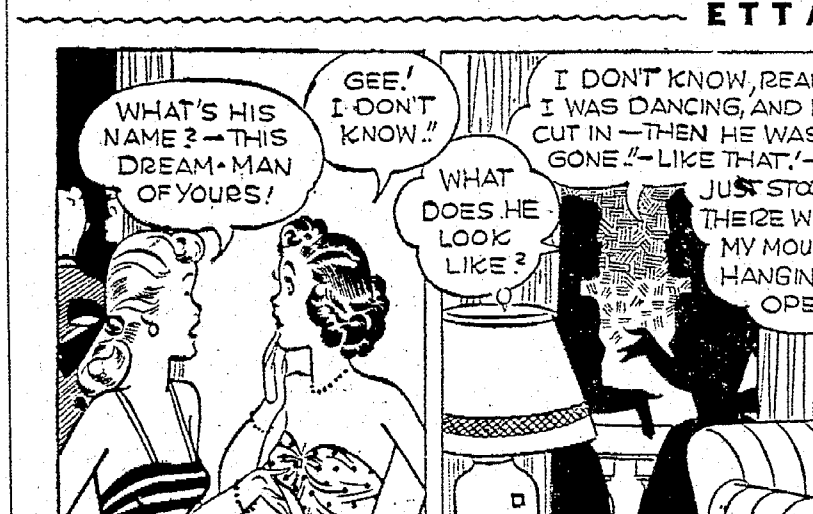
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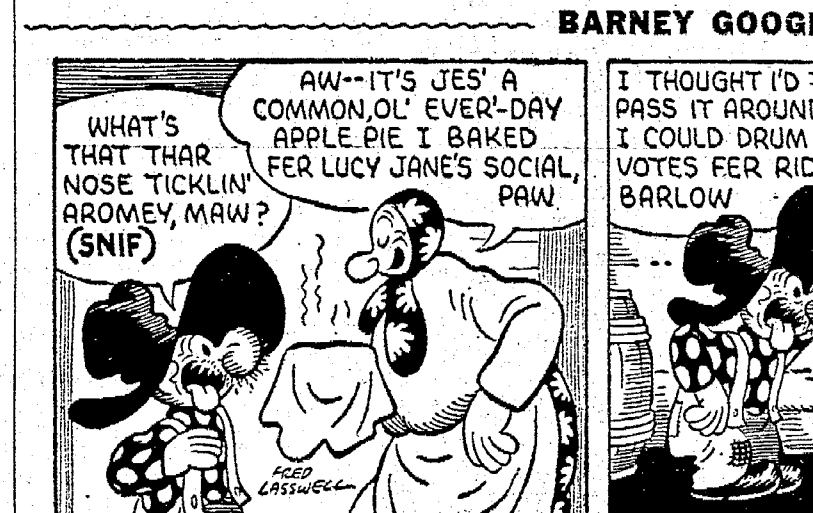
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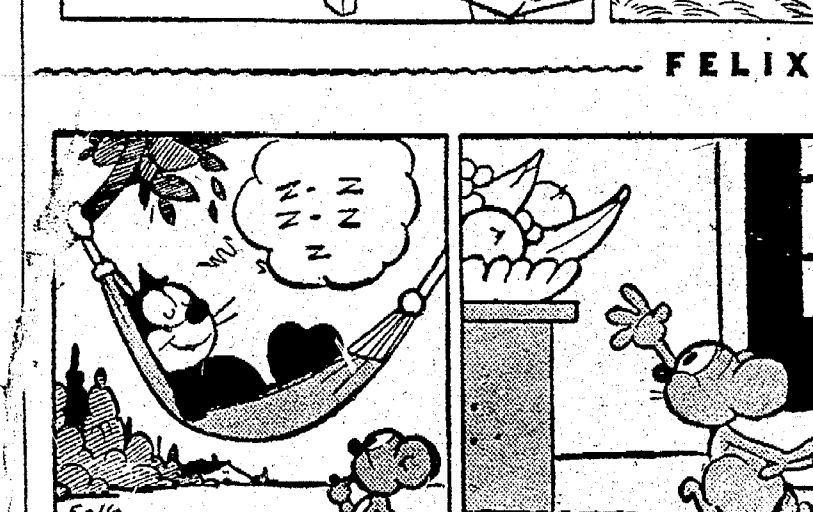
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FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1952

In the mountains of truth you never climb in vain. Either you already reach a higher point today, or you exercise your strength in order to be able to climb higher tomorrow.—Friedrich Wilhelm Nietzsche.

Toward a Safer Pottstown

A good start was made the other night toward the formation of a Pottstown Safety Council.

Spurred by Earl R. Strange, Pottstown safety exponent, a representative group of Pottstownians agreed such a council could perform a public service here.

Their interest will be the determining factor. They can do much to promote safety on the streets, in the home, and in the industries.

Safety is an every day duty. Safety is everyone's job. It can't be just Mr. Strange's schoolchild safety patrol job. It can't be just the duty of the safety teams in Pottstown's industrial plants to think, talk and live safely.

The Mercury welcomes formation of a safety council in Pottstown. It offers its assistance wholeheartedly, because The Mercury has sought strenuously to improve traffic conditions, eliminate fire hazards and promote safety in the home.

This paper's efforts have been rewarded by a State citation on traffic safety by the then governor, James Duff. It was awarded a national citation for public service in the field of fire safety. This year the National Safety Council cited The Mercury for its interest in traffic safety.

Pottstown can be made safer, especially on its streets.

A wise public education program against parking and driving on the wrong side of the street, of running through stop signs and consideration for the other driver would go a long way here.

The borough, too, could help by synchronizing its High Street traffic lights, for the smooth flow of traffic would eliminate many hazards.

There's much work to be done. Mr. Strange's safety council is the group to do it!

Tax of \$20 Million Man

DELAWARE'S Senator Williams again has put his finger on a case of extreme laxity—if not something much worse—in the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

He has disclosed that Harry Gross, formerly the operator of a \$20,000,000-a-year gambling racket in New York, filed only three income tax returns prior to 1951. These reported a combined net income of only \$25,990, calling for taxes in the amount of \$38,857.

There may have been a time at which federal tax collectors could argue that they knew of no special reason for going beyond the face of the Gross tax returns.

If so, it was long ago, before the man's name became familiar to even the most casual reader of headlines.

If the Bureau of Internal Revenue investigators were so simple and naive as not to have heard about the gambling racket, their attention certainly should have been aroused by the \$15,000 contribution made by Gross to Mayor O'Dwyer's 1949 campaign fund. Gross had reported a net income of only \$500 for the previous year.

Gross has now testified how he had more than 100 New York police officers virtually on his payroll, and he has told of considerably larger payments to higher officers and associates of former Mayor O'Dwyer. Some changes have been made in the Bureau of Internal Revenue, thanks in considerable measure to the activities of Senator Williams, and the Gross tax returns—or failures to make returns—are under scrutiny.

Was the earlier lack of interest due perhaps to the fact that Gross made such returns as he did to the Brooklyn Bureau of Internal Revenue office formerly in charge of Daniel A. Bolich, the collector who also showed such an unusual lack of interest in the income of Frank Costello, the boss of the New York crime syndicate?

There are more things to be looked into than just the true amount of the income of Harry Gross. The big question is: Why were not the questions asked sooner?

One Man

A NEW JERSEY banker has admitted taking \$450,000 from large accounts in his bank, and dissipating it by making loans to small businessmen having financial difficulties.

The one-man RFC

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS, May 15.

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W. Pottsgrove Makes Commencement Plans

D. Montfort Melchior, professor of history at the University of Pennsylvania, will be commencement speaker at West Pottsgrove High school's exercises Friday, May 23, at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium.

This was announced yesterday by James T. Jones, supervising principal, who also announced the names of the four class honor students: Anna M. DeMario, Joanne A. Schmuck, Linwood Irvin Mest and Gerald R. Diener, who also is class president.

As the first in her class academically, Miss DeMario will give the farewell address. Miss Schmuck, second, will give the welcoming address. Miss Schmuck is class treasurer.

The Commencement speaker, who lives in Lansdowne, Delaware county, was principal of Girard college, Philadelphia for 30 years, and a summer instructor at Bucknell university, Lewisburg, for 29 years.

Dr. Melchior has held his present post for the past seven years.

THERE ARE 22 prospective graduates. Diplomas will be presented by Daniel E. Harp, president of the school board.

The high school band and glee club will provide the music.

The Rev. A. S. Hanson, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran church, Stowe, will give the invocation, and the Rev. Francis E. Suchanek, rector of St. Gabriel's Catholic

West Pottsgrove's Top Scholars



Four Seniors of West Pottsgrove High school get official notice from Supervising Principal James T. Jones that they will be the class honor students at the Commencement program Friday, May 23, at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. The students are, left to right: Linwood Irvin Mest; Joanne Schmuck, who will give the welcoming address; Gerald R. Diener, who is class president, and Anna Marie DeMario, who will give the farewell address.

Tea and Meat Rations Will Go Up in Britain

LONDON, May 15 (AP)—Food Minister Gwilym Lloyd-George said today Britain's "spot o'tea" will be a bit bigger and there will be an extra sliver of meat on the menu soon.

The weekly tea ration, he told the House of Commons, will go up from two to two and a half ounces on July 13. The meat ration—now as much as you can buy for a shilling and twopenny (16½ cents)—each week—will go up to a shilling and sevenpenny (about 22 cents) on June 15.

But Lloyd-George took some of the shine out of that gift by announcing that he'll sanction a retail meat price rise that will all but wipe out the benefit as far as the family cook-pot is concerned. The present ration is the equivalent of one chop per person a week.

The Israelites are believed to have first entered the land of Canaan, now Israel, about 1400 B. C.

Safety Patrol Work Is Outlined by Hahn

The work of the Pottstown School Safety patrols and the aims of the proposed Community Safety council were outlined by Sgt. Harold E. Hahn, of the Pottstown police, for members of the Optimist club last night.

Hahn spoke of the instructional work he does in promoting safety in the schools and cited the perfect record of the patrols in the past 16 years. There has not been a single injury to a schoolchild at patrol-guarded corners in that time, Hahn said.

He explained the safety council which is being formed

25 Area Residents To March in Phila. For Knights Templar

Twenty-five Pottstown area residents are expected to take part in a parade in Philadelphia Monday night, May 26, that will be a part of the 99th annual convocation of the Knights Templar of Pennsylvania, it was announced yesterday.

At least four Pottstown residents will be in Philadelphia for the entire convocation, which begins May 25 and ends May 28.

George A. Hunsberger, member of Pottstown's Nativity Commandery 71, Knights Templar, and grand standard-bearer of the grand commandery, will attend the convention with Willis Henricks, past commander of the local organization.

Hunsberger will be a parade leader, probably leader of a division.

Also attending the convocation will be two past presidents of the Pottstown organization's Ladies' auxiliary, Mrs. Emily Scheffey and Mrs. Aaron Yergey.

A Pottstown delegation will attend the special service in Church of the Holy Trinity, Philadelphia, Sunday night, May 25.

The Order of the Temple traces its history by tradition to the crusades of the ninth century.

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Youth Jumps Up in UN, Denounces Communism

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., May 15 (AP)—A youth who identified himself as Joseph S. Tito—"no relation to Marshal Tito"—jumped up in the U. N. Commission on Human Rights today and tried to denounce Communism from the spectators' gallery.

He told guards who hustled him out that he "just got sick and tired of hearing the commission talk about motherhood, and rights of children when what the U. N. has to be told is to stop Communism."

The commission was discussing proposed treaty guarantees for security of mothers and children. It went on after the brief interruption.

Tito apologized to the guards for any trouble he'd caused.

"I just blew my top," he said.

Judy Garland Answers Court Summons Late

LOS ANGELES, May 15 (AP)—Judy Garland was ordered arrested today for failing to answer a court summons, and a few minutes later put in a belated appearance.

She had been subpoenaed in the suit of actress Lynn Bari against her ex-husband, Sid Luft, for support of their son. Miss Garland is engaged to Luft, a film producer.

Miss Bari wants payments for their son, John Michael Luft, three, boosted from \$200 a month to \$500.

Miss Bari's attorney, S. S. Hahn, charged that Luft was contributing more to the support of his three race horses than he was to his son's care.

AUTO UPSET FATAL

CLEARFIELD, May 15 (AP)—Melvin L. Shimmel, 34, of West Decatur, was killed today when an auto overturned at nearby Allport.

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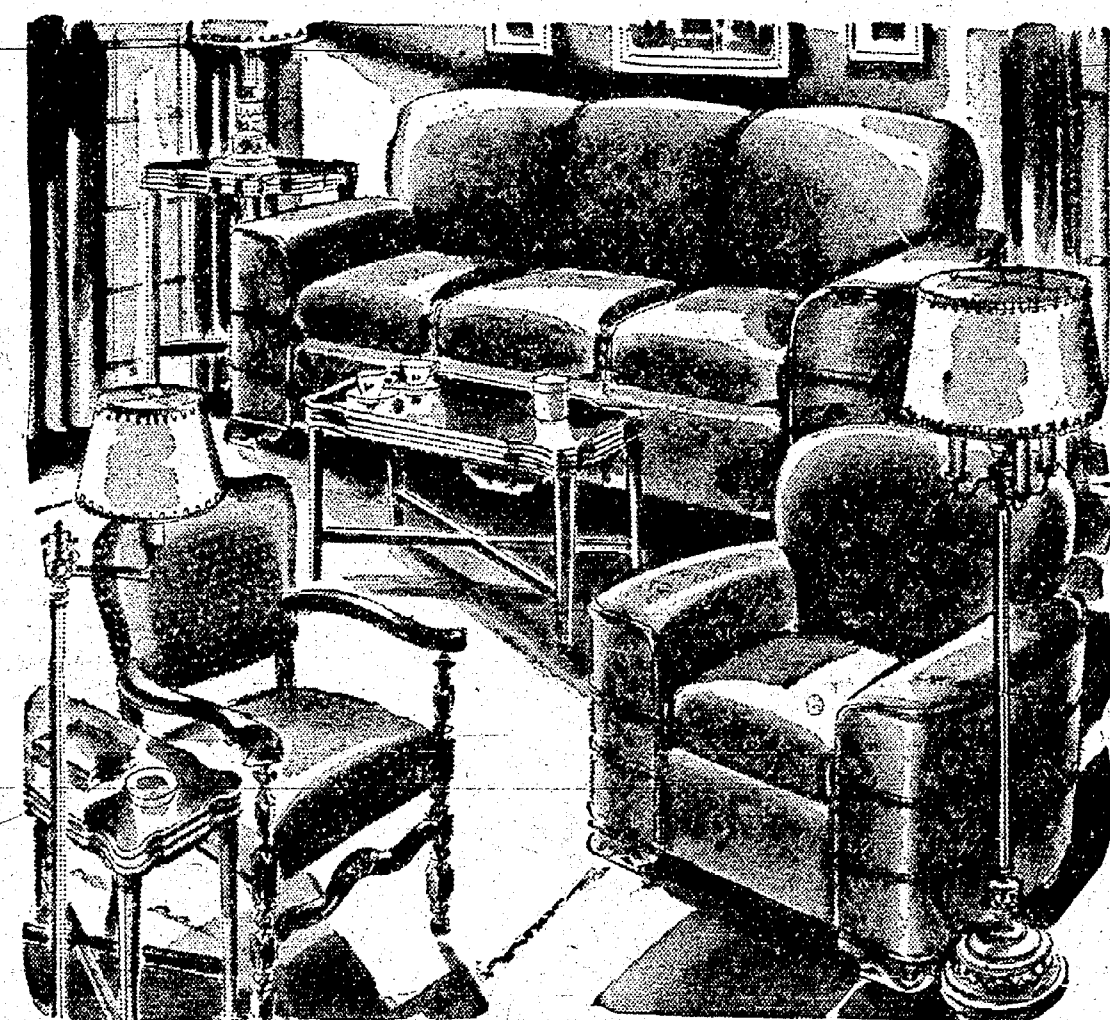
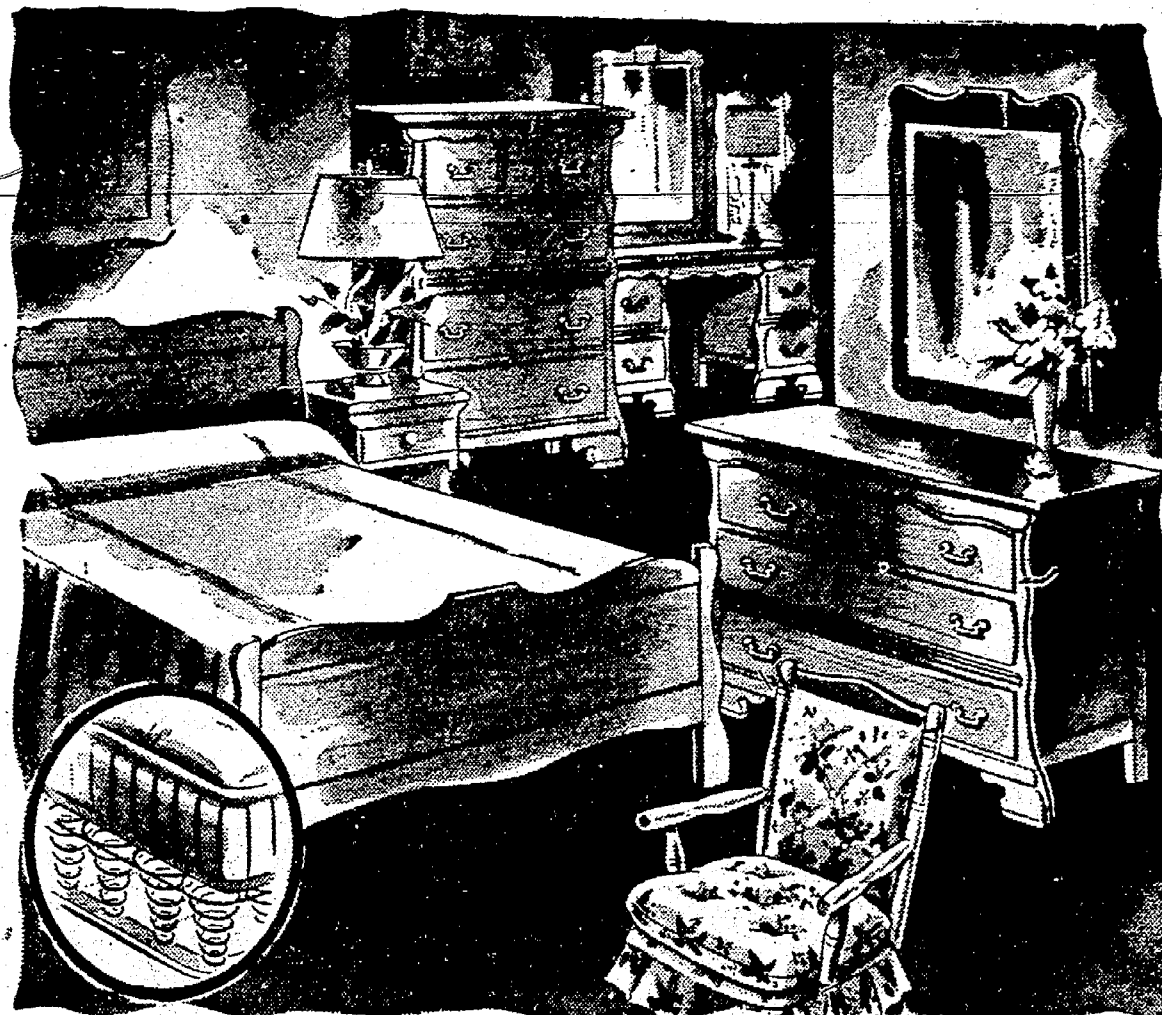
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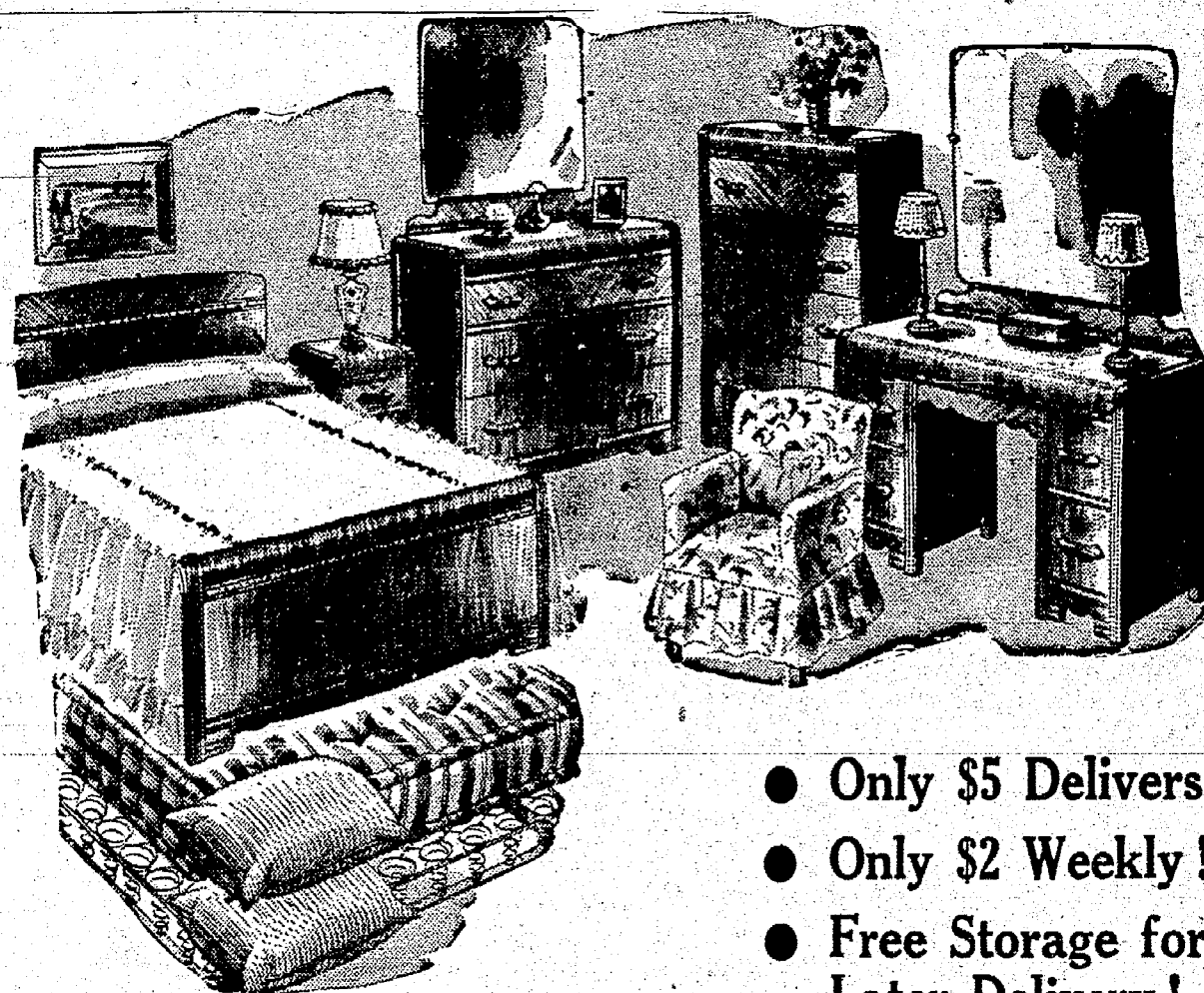
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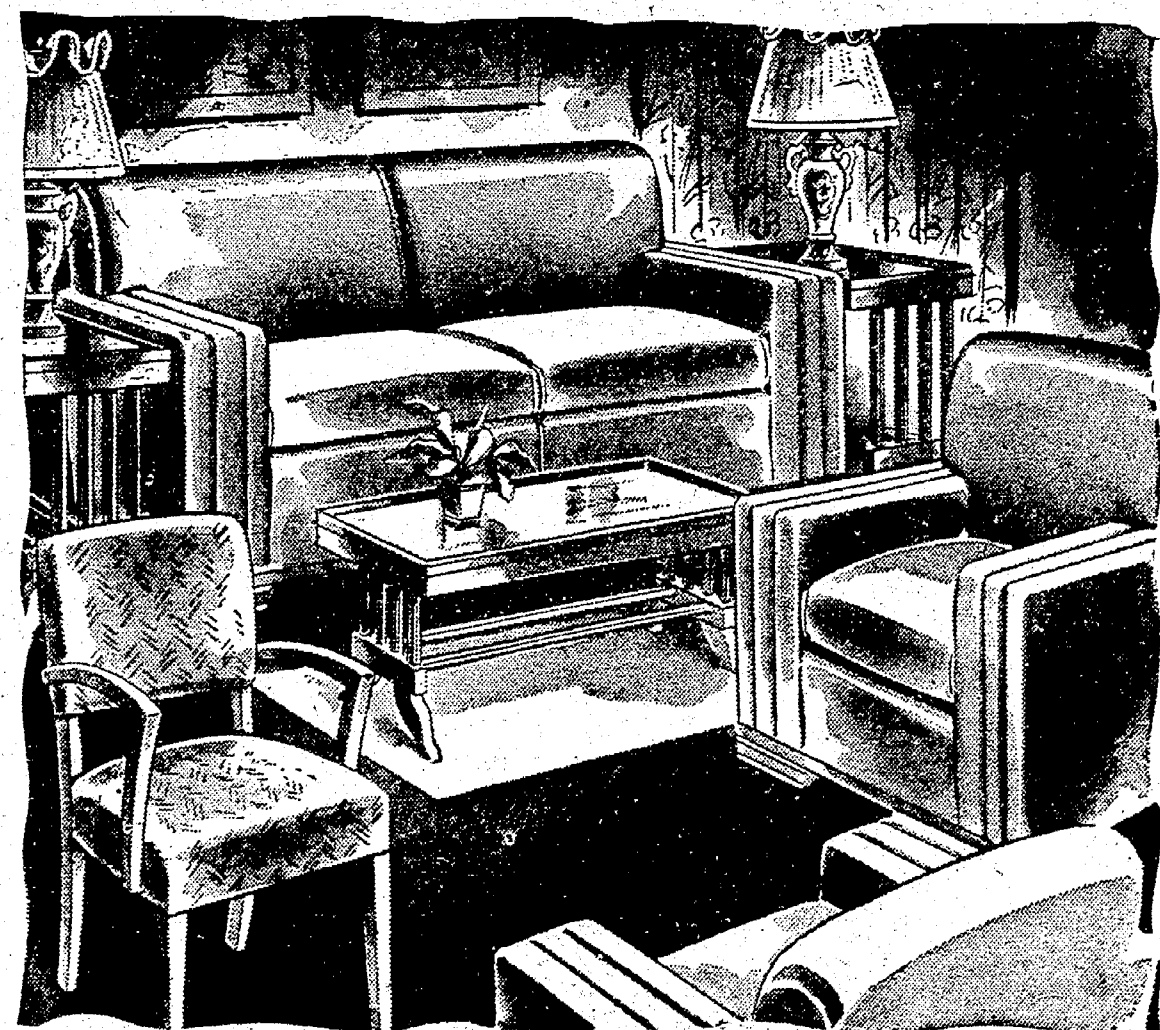
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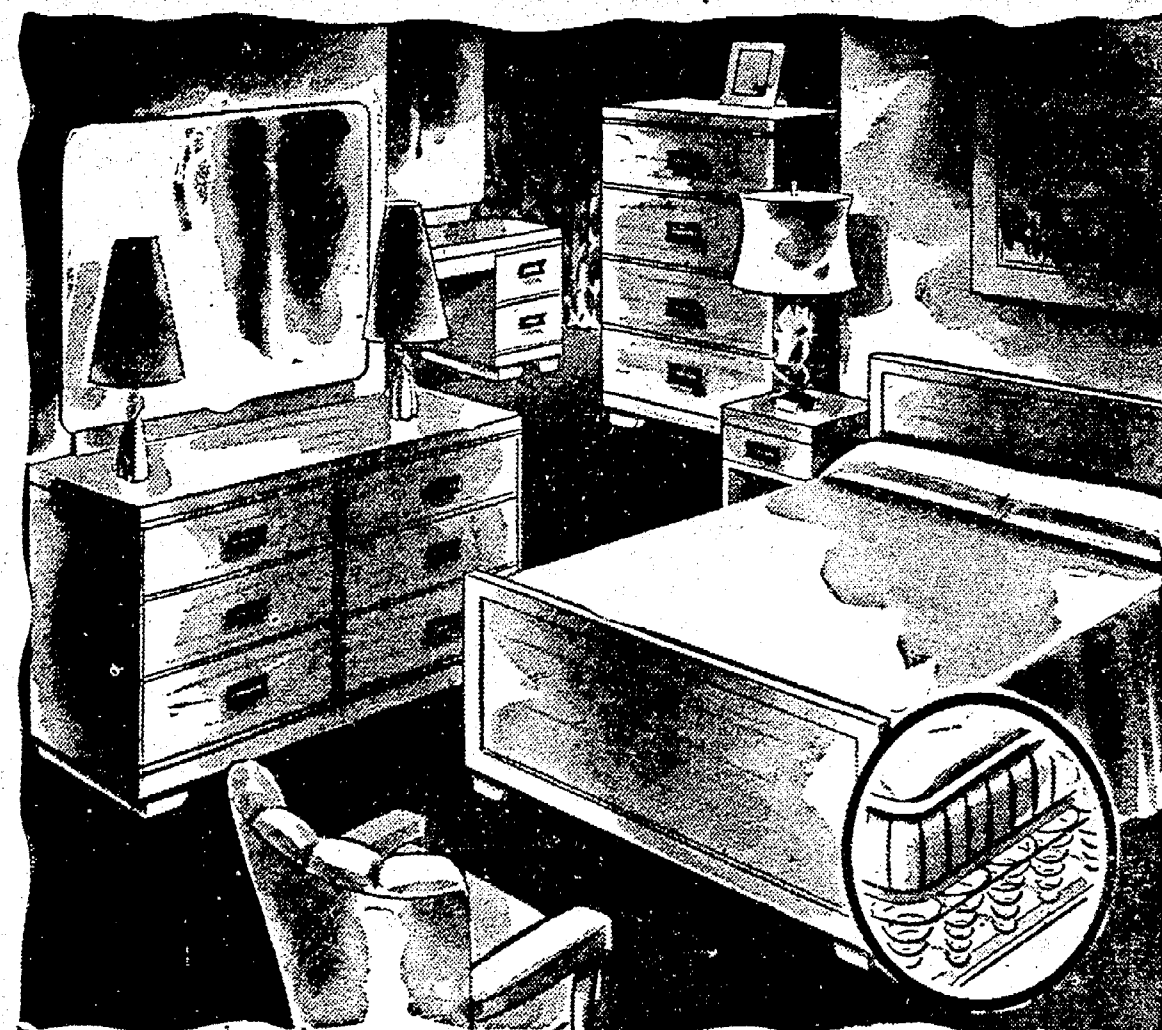
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